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Bonnie Thorburn was chosen Queen of the 1960 Fall Formal at Castleton Teachers College on October 29. She was selected from a group of nine candidates competing for the crown.

ELECTION TIME AT CTC

by Jane Martin

"If you voted or if you could vote, who would have been your choice at this time between Mr. Nixon and Mr. Kennedy? Who would you have voted for in the 1956 election between Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Eisenhower? What issue before the American people at this time do you feel is of the greatest importance?"

These questions were asked of a random grouping of CTC students four weeks before the election. The answers to the questions were extremely revealing when we consider the fact that the election is of paramount importance to every person in the United States.

CTC students showed a lively interest in the election and an excellent grasp of the issues and differences in point of view of the two candidates. Foreign Policy was by far the most repeated problem by the students, indicating the tremendous concern with the prestige and future of the United States in the changing world of today. Surprisingly enough, the farm problem was not brought into the discussions at all. As Vermont is primarily an agricultural state, the lack of apparent interest in this particular phase of domestic policy indicates that CTC students consider many other problems more pressing.

One of the most interesting statistics involved in the survey was the fact that 33% of the students questioned have switched their preference from the Republican Party to the Democratic Party. This indicated a decided trend from the tremendous popularity with which Mr. Eisenhower registered four years ago against Mr. Stevenson. Almost all of the students who switched party allegiance cited reasons involving the prestige of the United States in the world.

CASTLETON IN ACCREDITATION BID

by John Sabo

During October 5, 6, and 7th an Evaluation Committee from the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools visited the campus. Mr. Samuel N. Bogorod, Professor of English at the University of Vermont, was chairman. Other members on the committee were Dean Elizabeth Kelly, Dean of Women at Middlebury College, and Dr. Hilton Burley, President of the Southern Connecticut State College, New Haven, Connecticut.

This committee renders a report to the members of the standing committee of the Association, who will then consider our application for membership in the NEACSS. Membership in this regional association is a prerequisite for recognition by the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education. Announcement of successful applicants will be made during the Associations meeting on December 6.

Castleton Teachers College has taken several steps designed to meet the standards of the New England Association. Although no positive information is available at this time, College authorities feel that chances for admittance to the NEACSS are excellent. There are several reasons for this optimism. Many of our graduates are enrolled in some of the nation's leading graduate schools, Teachers College, Columbia University, Boston University, attesting to the caliber of instruction at Castleton. Expanded library facilities have given students wider and richer opportunities for undergraduate research projects. The assistance of a full-time professional librarian is now available. The division of administrative duties under Dean Black and Dean Wright, also add to the further development of individual attention. The guidance department under Mr. James Gilbert insures undivided counseling in this area.

We now have a Student-Faculty ratio of 15.6 to 1. This is just a fraction over the required accreditation ratio of 15 to 1 and is seen as no great obstacle. The curriculum has been further enriched with the addition of new liberal arts courses as well as advanced specialized courses.

Castleton Teachers College has two full professors, four associate professors, eight assistant professors and twelve instructors. Each of our Department Heads have Doctor's Degrees or the equivalent. No member has a teaching load in excess of eighteen hours per week, having adequate time for independent research.

June of 1959 saw the completion of our modern gymnasium-auditorium. This building will assist greatly in expanding recreational and social activities. Our well rounded program of student activities offers something for everybody with opportunities for social and intellectual development.

All of the forementioned areas were evaluated by the visiting committee during their October visit. The college budget has been adequate in meeting the need created by these expanding facilities and the increased cost of operating a modern college.

The time is ripe for accreditation. If this should be forth-coming the students must not rest on their laurels but will put forth a greater effort towards accomplishing other equally worthy goals.

Of those students who selected Mr. Kennedy, the second most mentioned issue was that of Mr. Kennedy's young ideas and progressive and liberal viewpoint. Mr. Nixon's followers felt that experience was the most important criteria for their decision to back the Vice President.

Mr. Nixon led the poll with a count of 1.9 to 1, while undecided students were in the extreme minority, carrying out the findings of the Gallup Poll, that contrary to the belief of politicians, most people made up their minds well in advance of the election.

Editorial

A DEBT?

It is only human to enjoy seeing evidence of gain or accomplishment as a result of something that we have done. People like to see their results equal their investment. And this is only fair.

Castleton Teachers College is an institution completely dependent upon the funds of the taxpayers of Vermont. Without a generous percentage of the tax money paid to the state, there would be no State Teachers Colleges. Consequently, many of us would be deprived of a higher education.

Therefore, it would seem sensible to ask ourselves what we are giving back to the taxpayers in return for our education. Perhaps a popular answer would be that we are going to teach the youngsters of our citizens.

This is very true, but it is not really a way of repaying those who have helped us. We believe that every individual in our democracy must contribute his talents to a common cause. Is not a carpenter doing his work well giving as much to society as a teacher doing his work well? Remember, a carpenter is not *given* the opportunity that we are given by society.

In view of this we might ask ourselves are we incurring a hyperbolic debt while in a state supported college? If so what can we do to satisfy it?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SPARTAN:

October 25, 1960

Dear Sir:

We are pleased to inform you of the second annual intercollegiate Jazz Festival, a national competition among promising young jazz groups from colleges and universities throughout the United States. Following a period of preliminary judging the five top groups in the nation compete in the finals at Georgetown before a board of judges consisting of such people as Dave Brubeck, Paul Desmond, John Hammond and George Hoefer.

Last year the first prize went to the Charles Bell Contemporary Jazz Quartet from Carnegie Tech. They won an engagement at Birdland, a recording contract with Columbia Records and an appearance at the Newport Jazz Festival. In addition, their drummer was chosen the outstanding individual musician and won a scholarship to Berkeley.

The second prize winner was the Lab Band from North Texas State. They received an engagement at the Red Hill Inn, just outside Philadelphia. The third place group, the Chuck Mangione Quintet from the Eastman School of Music, did not win any prizes that night. However, their appearance did lead to further recognition. Mangione is now recording on the Riverside label and has appeared at the Randall's Island Jazz Festival in New York.



Miss Martha Campbell Retires

After 29 Years of Service at C. T. C.

This year the prizes will be approximately the same as those of last year. Due to the uncertain status of the Newport Festival, arrangements are being made for an appearance at Randall's Island.

We sincerely hope that you will find this information of sufficient news value to mention in your publication. Enclosed are a few applications which will give further details. We believe that it would be worth your while to utilize your facilities to bring someone from your own school into the competition. Many of last year's contestants were entered through their campus publications. If you have any eligible groups for this year, please notify us. However, if you are not particularly concerned, please pass on the information to someone who might be interested in it.

Thank you very much for your interest and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,
Dale Richard Silva
Director of Performers

Editor's Note: The above letter is characteristic of many letters which come to the editor and shows one of the numerous types of intercollegiate activities carried on through campus newspapers. You are welcome to use this media to express your ideas and opinions on issues of importance to the student body.

During the summer vacation Miss Martha E. Campbell retired as dietitian at CTC after twenty-nine years. Unique in her ability to give the "home taste" to mass quantities of food, Miss Campbell will long be remembered by both alumni and college visitors. Whether planning a holiday treat for students to liven up an otherwise routine menu or getting ready for one of the numerous conferences held at the college, she was always enthusiastic to try new ideas while striving to maintain a standard of quality which has given Castleton an enviable reputation throughout the state.

Before coming to the College, Miss Campbell was connected with the Whispering Pines Tea Room in Castleton and operated the Pine Cliff Lodge for two years. Her dietetic preparation was taken at the Helen M. Wood Institutional Food Training, New York City.

Miss Campbell will be happy to have her friends call at her home on West Main Street.

Due to unforeseen circumstances the SPARTAN did not receive its contract until Oct. 31. Because of this delay, we have not been able to present a paper prior to this date. However, now that our contract has arrived, we intend to publish the paper every two weeks as has been our policy in the past.

—The Editor

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Frosh Elect Temporary Officers

The Freshman class chose Gary Payne and Sam Pagano as temporary officers of their class. They were chosen as President and Delegate-at-Large respectively. Both men have taken an active interest in the affairs of the school and have shown a good deal of responsibility regarding the duties of their offices.

C.T.C. at N.E.A.P.T.

On October 6 and 7, Castleton Teachers College sent four representatives to the meeting of the New England Association for Teacher Preparation at the Hotel Kenmore in Boston, Mass. The students were Jon Emerson, Mike Collins, Marcel Currier, and Dick Burke. Representatives of Colleges of Education all over New England attend this affair.

The theme of this year's conference was "The Role of Some Special Fields in Teacher Education." The special interest fields that were represented at the meeting were Art, Business, Physical Education, Industrial Arts, and Home Economics.

The various speakers at the conference stressed the importance of these often slighted fields of Education. They pointed out that each field had a practical place in our schools, as well as an important part in the lives of our people.

A great deal of emphasis was given to the need of creative thinking in these special fields. The demands of these fields call for top grade students and top grade instructors. These subjects should be treated as highly technical subjects and students should not be pushed into them because they cannot handle other courses. Also, because of the creativity needed to be proficient in one of those fields, they should not be thought of as subjects the slower students can easily handle.

The teachers themselves are important in these fields. A well trained teacher is of no value, but a well educated teacher is instrumental in producing creative thinking from their students.

Mr. Paul Bergen, professor of Music at Central Connecticut State College did not advocate "wholistic learning" for teachers of these special fields. He said, "Every hour devoted to some other course is one hour less that can be devoted to courses in your chosen field."

Following the main speakers, time was allotted for the audience to enter smaller rooms and openly discuss and debate the main issues presented by the individual speakers.

Frosh to Take SAT

One of the very important aspects of the operation of any college is its admissions process. In the past Castleton Teachers College has admitted students by certificate alone or as circumstances required certificate and supporting examination scores. Our current college catalogue states that beginning with next year's entering class, examination scores *must* be submitted by *each* applicant.

A very valuable test of college aptitude is the *Scholastic Aptitude Test*, commonly called the "College Boards." The Admissions office plans to use scores on this test in evaluating applications for admission. In order to use them intelligently and to partially assure ourselves of equalizing the composite quality of classes now attending CTC we propose to conduct a "validation study" which will involve administration of the SAT to all freshmen currently enrolled at Castleton. The College Entrance Examination Board has authorized the College to administer this test at 1 p.m. on Thursday, November 17, 1960. The examination will be held in the Gym.

It should be emphasized that these examinations will not affect the continued matriculation of the students now in college. We are merely looking for a basis for judging SAT scores as they are submitted by future applicants.

"A Happy Smile Returns"

Marie Fisk

Being absent for a year, the familiar, happy smile returns to campus. Yes, it belongs to Mrs. Clary. For some people, she is a new acquaintance, while for many of us she is a friend who has returned. She was House Director at Ellis Hall for two years and then left last year to be a house mother for one of the sorority houses at UVM.

She says she is looking forward to a happy and successful year at Leavenworth and that it seems wonderful to be back at CTC.

Everyone extends their best wishes to you, Mrs. Clary, and welcomes you aboard.

Largest Faculty Ever at C.T.C.

This year there were nine new members added to the faculty at Castleton Teachers College. Additions were made in the Departments of Art, Social Studies, Math, English, Science, Education, and Physical Education. These appointments have helped to equalize teaching loads as well as to raise the cultural and professional prestige of the college community.

In the Social Science Department Dr. Warren Cook was appointed as an assistant professor of Geography and History. Dr. Cook has spent nine years in Peru and is very well versed on the cultures of Latin America. He received his B.H. at the University de San Marcos; D.L. at the University de San Marcos; M.A. at Yale University; Ph.D. at Yale University. Dr. Cook's avocation is philately.

Dr. Robert Patterson was appointed assistant professor of History. Patterson received his B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. at Yale University.

The Education Department has two new additions to its staff—Dr. Vernon Smith—professor of Education and Mr. Leonard Johnson—instructor in Education. Mr. Johnson is well known in the Castleton area for his work as a State Helping Teacher. He received his B.S. at Castleton Teachers College and his Ed.M. at Boston University.

Dr. Smith worked several years as Supt. of Schools at Scarsdale, N.Y. He received his A.B. at Colby College; M.A. at Columbia University; Ph.D. at Columbia University. In the past he has been a member of the Educational Department at the Conn. College for Women.

Mr. Leonid Sokolow has been appointed as an instructor in Mathematics. He obtained his B.S. at Columbia University and has also worked on Doctoral Courses at Columbia.

The Physical Education Department had the addition of Mr. Peter Broaca, an instructor in Physical Education. He received his B.S. at Boston University in 1959. Broaca will also be the assistant soccer coach, J.V. basketball coach, and baseball coach.

The appointment of Mr. William Feaster as an instructor in Science will allow the Science Department to introduce several new courses to the students—among which will be Micro Biology. Mr. Feaster earned his B.S. at Rutgers, his M.S. at the University of New Hampshire, and is currently working on his Ph.D.

Miss Frances Stanton is replacing Mr. Studley as the coordinator of Educational Resources Project, better known to us as the Ford Foundation Project. Miss Stanton received her M.F.A. from the Pius XII Institute in Florence, Italy.

Mr. Robert Robinson has been appointed to the Art Department as an instructor in Art. He has done a great deal of work as a professional artist and photographer. He will also serve as public relations man for the college. Mr. Robinson received both his B.S. and M.E. at the University of Minnesota.

Dr. Withrop Tilley has become a professor of English. He has written many textbooks dealing with the English language. Dr. Tilley received his B.A. at Amherst, and both his M.A. and Ph.D. at Brown University.

Other changes in the administration is the appointment of Mr. Charles Wright as Dean of Students; Mr. Robinson as the Coordinator of Public Relations; and Miss Miriam Thompson as the College Librarian.

NEWMAN CLUB NEWS

by John A. Smiel

The first meeting of the Newman Club was held on October 4 and forty students attended.

Officers for the following year are:

George W. Bergin—President
Julian Jackson—Vice President
Patricia Keedy—Secretary
Patricia Augulia—Treasurer

The general outline of topics to be discussed and the program for the coming year was set up by the officers and Father Conner. There will be movies, discussions, speakers and possibly trips to shrines in nearby New Hampshire and New York.

November 18, 19, and 20 there will be a retreat at Norwich University for all college students interested. For those interested please contact Father Conner or other officers of the club.

The next meeting will be November 29 at 7:00 p.m., at the Catholic Center on Main Street. See you there.

COMING EVENTS

Nov. 21 Freshman Class Meeting
Nov. 22 Community Concert
—Yugoslav Singers
Nov. 23 - 28 Thanksgiving Recess
Nov. 29 Square Dance
Dec. 2 Basketball Sienna

FAIR SEASON FOR SPARTANS

by Dick Singleton

The Spartans under the leadership of Coach Richard Terry finished the season with a 7-3-1 record. The one is an undecided game played against North Adams.

Last year's record was 7 and 2, with the team just missing the league championship. With only three players missing from the starting eleven, Castleton should have improved or at least equaled this record. Some of the reasons for not doing so were lack of team spirit, quitting of players, lack of men, especially Freshmen, going out to make the team, and injuries.

Three Freshmen were on the team as the season closed. They were Pete Messina, Dan Ebinhouser, and Norm Bartlett. Messina, a first place reserve, demonstrated that without any knowledge of the game and with a little time and effort a player can do a good job. This is no reflection against Bartlett or Ebinhouser as they contributed their share in helping to accomplish this year's winning record.



The Green and White got off to a good season's start as they won four out of the first five games, beating such teams as Windham 5-2, North Adams 7-1, Keene 5-1 and splitting with Plymouth winning 5-2 and losing 1-0.

Aside from this record the other most important soccer news is the awarding of the white letter to Sam Carrara. Sam earned this award by his great offensive and defensive play. The award is by vote of the soccer team.

The offensive squad of Coach Terry's team was led by Jorn Barth who throughout the season bombed in 11 goals. His best offensive games were against Keene and Windham when he scored three goals. Sam Carrara, Cal Hastings and John Witalac were the other leading scorers for the Spartans. Carrara had six goals while Hastings and Witalac had five each. The other 12 goals registered by the Spartans were made by Sabo and Fregosi with 2 each while Nicholas and Lazetera and Yatzik each had one. Fregosi scored the only goal against Norwich with Castleton winning 1-0.

Don Orvis, the goalie had 179 saves out of a possible 196 as 17 of these went by for goals. Castleton outscored its opponents 34 to 17. The high scoring game of the season was the home game against North Adams when Castleton piled up 7 points.

The defense showed their superiority as they shutout three of the last four opponents 1-0, 3-0 twice and losing or winning the undecided game. The defense was led by Blastos, Bountress, Pietryka, Piccione and Skitt.

Another strong point in favor of Castleton's offensive was the fact that the opposing goalie made an average of 19 saves a game as compared with 16.3 for Orvis.

Leading in assists was Sam Carrara with 6 followed by Nicholas with 4 while three each were recorded for Barth, Hastings, Fregosi, and Lazetera. Skip Pietryka had 2 while Witalac, Sabo, Orvis, Messina, Ebinhouser, Blastos and Ezzo had one apiece.

Out of the last six games the Spartans won three and lost two with one game undecided to date. They lost to Johnson 5-2, Rhode Island 3-2. They beat Norwich 1-0 and finished the season with two shutouts, both by the score of 3-0, against Lyndon and Keene.



The Varsity "C" Club unanimously elected Sam Carrara (heading the ball) as the winner of the White Letter Award for being the most valuable player on the team. Carrara scored six goals and led the team with six assists.

The box scores were as follows

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 1, 1960
C. T. C.	1	0	4	2	7	
North Adams	0	1	0	0	5	

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 3, 1960
C. T. C.	0	0	0	0	0	
Plymouth	1	0	0	0	1	

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 5, 1960
C. T. C.	1	1	2	1	5	
Keene	0	0	0	1	1	

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 8, 1960
C. T. C.	1	1	0	3	5	
Plymouth	0	0	1	1	2	

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 11, 1960
C. T. C.	1	0	1	0	2	
Johnson	1	1	3	0	5	

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 15, 1960
C. T. C.	1	1	0	0	2	
R. I. C.	0	2	0	1	3	

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 19, 1960
C. T. C.	0	0	1	0	1	
Norwich U.	0	0	0	0	0	

Game between North Adams and C. T. C. is still undecided. This game was played Oct. 26, 1960 at North Adams.

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 29, 1960
C. T. C.	0	0	1	2	3	
Lyndon	0	0	0	0	0	

Periods	1	2	3	4	T	Oct. 31, 1960
C. T. C.	0	1	1	1	3	
Keene	0	0	0	0	0	



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Press Conference Held at Lyndon

On November 16, four students, Janet Walker, Jane Williams, Marilyn Daniels, and Virginia Worden accompanied by Miss Hale, faculty advisor for the *Spartan*, traveled to Lyndon Teachers College where they attended the 6th ANNUAL PRESS CONFERENCE sponsored by Lyn News.

The keynote address presented to the general assembly by Mr. Victor Harrison from *The Brattleboro Daily Reformer* was "Limits and Latitude for a Good Press." Mr. Harrison said that a newspaper had a responsibility to the community, and that it must report accurately and keep abreast of local and town government news and official bodies who represent the people. In speaking of his paper and similar ones in the state he said that page one should contain a variety of news, thus appealing to a variety of people; that the newspaper was a family paper and should have something of interest for all members; that it should include interpretive material and that, above all, it should publish all news with no indications of favoritism.

The editorial page, he felt, was "the heart of the newspaper. It was the editor talking to the people." In this page, the editor was expected to express his views on political, philosophical, and propagandistic issues, and to promote campaigns within the town.

All journalists should possess the ability to write clear, concise English, he said, and added that there were three sources he felt could be used as excellent references in the search for knowledge — "the Bible, quotations, and encyclopedias."

He concluded with a rewarding thought — that "newspapers are improving . . . , reporters are better trained and educated . . . , professional men and women are now engaged in this field . . . , and that the public now gets more and better news."

"Mr. Poeter Meets the Press" was led by Mr. Poeter, Commissioner of Highways in Vermont. He emphasized that ethics in journalism was a necessity and that a good code of ethics would lead to success. He said always to report the facts and the full story with complete disregard to personal or selfish interest. In this way a person becomes the type of reporter who will receive the facts, good stories, and excellent scoops.

The discussion, "Limits and Latitude for a Good Press," elaborated more fully the facts presented by Mr. Harrison of Brattleboro in his morning address.

Marilyn Daniels attended two groups concerning sports, "Reporting The Game" led by Mr. Roger LeCours of the *Times-Argus* of Barre, Vt. and "Sports," a workshop presided over by Mr. Dudley Bell, faculty member at Lyndon.

Jane Williams attended a workshop on "News." Mrs. Mary Bisson, faculty member at LTC, led the group and said that a news article should be written in inverted pyramid style with the most important news first and ending with those of least importance. She stated that the first sentence should contain the "5 W's — who, where, what, why and when." Then those present each wrote a news article which was later read and criticized.

Another workshop, "Feature, Editorial," was attended by Janet Walker. Mr. Brian Kelley, adviser for

Accreditation For CTC

The faculty and students at Castleton Teachers College were thrilled to hear that the college was accredited by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Boston on December 2, 1960. In Boston, the announcement was made in the Statler Hotel at a Business meeting held just before dinner. A telephone call was immediately made to Dr. Holden, and Dr. Holden notified Dr. Dundas who was in Montpelier attending a budget meeting with Governor-elect Keyser. He, in turn, telephoned the college.

Reactions at CTC were varied. Word was received at 12:00 noon. Most of the student body was assembled in the recreation room for a pep rally before the Siena basketball game. When the announcement was made shouts of approval could be heard throughout the campus as the students jumped for joy.

Other students and most faculty members were in the lunch line when they received word. Their reaction spread to the kitchen staff and the maintenance staff. From that time on, every phone in the college was buzzing with the news.

The dining room was a continuous hum of excited voices and wild speculation. During the meal, Dean Black announced that the college had been recognized.

Another important milestone in the history of Castleton has been reached. This has been achieved through tireless effort and continuous growth.

Drama Clubs Present Two Plays

Superintendents Meet

On November eighteenth Castleton Teachers College was host to the Southwest Superintendents Association who met for their monthly meeting. Thirty-four superintendents from Addison, Bennington, and Rutland counties plus Dr. Karlene Russell, curriculum coordinator, Newton Baker, Director of Teacher Education, Earl Houston, Director of Special Education, and Iran Sweetser, Math and Science Consultant of the State Department of Education were present.

Lyn News, stated that a feature article could be written in the first person and could be subjective. An editorial, he said, should never be in the first person, should never be slanted or biased, and should be objective and informative. This group also wrote editorials which were later read and criticized.

"Graphic Processes: Exhibits and Pointers for Yearbook Production" was led by Mr. Paul V. Winters of the Vermont Development Commission in Montpelier. He gave many worthwhile pointers concerning year-

The CTC Drama Club will open its 1960 season with the production of Eugene Ionesco's two one-act plays, "The Bald Soprano," featuring Mary Lou Bruehl and John Peter Laskovich and "The Lesson," starring Jonathan Corbin on December 7 under the able direction of Saul Elkin.

"The Bald Soprano," an anti-play, satirizes English suburban life. Supporting the leads will be Jane Martin, Frank Heald and Carolee Carroll.

Jonathan Corbin will be ably supported by Cynthia Smith and Jean Dixon in his portrayal of a day in the life of a harried professor in "The Lesson."

During the evening there will be an exhibition of Miss Frances Stanton's recent works in the lobby of the gym.

books, but stressed the "keep it simple" idea.

The conference proved very valuable to those who attended, which they hope to show their readers by an improved *Spartan*.

Editorial



Not So Blithe a Spirit

by John Sabo

Castleton has come a long way in the last few years. Just look around at the new buildings, new courses, new faculty, new faces, bigger and better facilities both educational and recreational.

A student can really get ahead here if he or she wants to. Success is for the taking. There's that strange word *success*. What does it mean? Does it mean good grades? That is part of it, but not all. Does it mean athletic success? That is also part of it. Does it mean a full social life? That is also an important part of it.

The real goal is an intelligent balance among the aforementioned elements. The Greeks coined the expression, "Not too much of anything." All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy and Jill a dull girl. However, the opposite maxim is scholastic failure. A gain balance is needed.

Yet CTC offers plenty of opportunity for both a rich scho-

ELECTION OF MINOR OFFICES

by Stephen M. Dow

Perhaps some people are wondering who won the last school election — after all we had to vote twice.

Sam Carrara was elected Men's A. A. President and Vera Williams was elected S. A. Treasurer.

Now would be an appropriate time to thank all those who have helped at all the elections by sitting at the ballot box. In the interest of college spirit; perhaps, it would be interesting to note that not over 55 percent of the student body have voted in any one election. This is why there was a revoting, hoping more people would take interest and vote.

So, let's gather up our rather "broken" campus spirit and vote at the next election.

lastic life and a full social life. Too few, moreover, realize that social life entails an obligation, an obligation to support college activities, individually and as a group.

The most current example of failure to recognize such an obligation is the 1960 season's successful soccer team. Successful because a 7-3-1 record is a good one, not a fair one. CTC (not the Faculty who gave sustained support) could have encouraged the soccer team much more enthusiastically than it did. Coaches Terry and Broaca worked hard; the team worked hard; the students preferred to sit and offer up a few platitudes. The college should be known by deeds, not thoughts.

Campus Personality



Barbara Dolan, Social Recreation Chairman

by Roberta Less

Around the campus we see the cheerful smile of Barbara — better known to everyone as "Bobbie" Dolan. With her great personality she is a friend to everyone. When a helping hand is needed, Bobbie is always there to assist at any time. Bobbie, a graduate of Northfield High in Northfield, Vermont always found time to maintain a high scholastic index even though she is active in many organizations.

"Bobbie" entered Castleton in '57 and during her first two years she became a member of the International Relations Club. She worked hard as a teacher on the Ford Foundation program, and took the responsibility of becoming president of Leavenworth Hall. She did a terrific job in maintaining the order and spirit of the dorm.

Last year she was active in the Rutland Guidance Clinic which worked jointly with the Rutland Rehabilitation Center. "Bobbie" showed a great deal of patience and understanding while working with the mentally retarded children.

This year she is a member of the dorm council at Ellis Hall, and holds one of the six major offices at Castleton Teachers College — Chairman of the So-

Frosh Elect Permanent Officers

by Bob Undeen

On Nov. 30th the Freshman class elected its officers for the year. Elected were Gary Payne, president; Sam Pagano, vice president; Pat Landon, secretary; Grace Lambert, treasurer; and Tony Marro, delegate-at-large.

Gary is a graduate of Braintree High School in Braintree, Mass. He served on the student council in high school, and is a member of the J.V. basketball team at C.T.C. Gary was chosen as the temporary chairman of his class earlier this year, and is a candidate for the Eastern States Conference in New York.

Sam Pagano is from Niagara Falls, N.Y. He was treasurer of the student council and editor of the school paper in high school. At C.T.C. he was chosen temporary delegate of his class earlier this year, and played J.V. ball until he broke his ankle.

Pat Landon is a graduate of Proctor High School. There she was a member of the student council, varsity cheering squad and the year book staff. At Castleton she is a member of the J.V. cheering squad.

The treasurer, Grace Lambert, comes from Springfield, Vt. In high school Grace was active in several clubs and organizations. At C.T.C. she is a member of the Newman Club and the Leavenworth volleyball team.

Tony Marro of Rutland is the delegate-at-large. He is a 1960 graduate of M.S.J. and commutes to C.T.C.

cial Recreation Council. She has shown her leadership ability in efficiently running our Social program which has turned out quite well in spite of many obstacles.

As you can see "Bobbie" is a girl who should be known by all and we wish her the best of luck with her future plans.

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C.T.C. Students Witness Naturalization Session

by Sheila Kehoe
Connie Kenyon

Members of Miss Hale's U.S. History class spent an interesting and rewarding afternoon at Federal Court not long ago witnessing the naturalization of 51 former aliens. The group looked on as these proud but nervous aliens from 19 countries became U.S. citizens.

Roll call of those who were to be naturalized was taken first. The fifty-one took the naturalization oath as a group and then came up two by two to the front of the court where they agreed to the rules of the oath, after which they received their papers which declared them true U.S. citizens. Judge Gibson also gave them a talk on their duties as citizens of the United States. After refreshments the proud new citizens rushed off to inform their family and friends of their new status.

This session, besides showing the students how a person becomes a United States citizen, seemed to give them an opportunity to evaluate their great privilege and responsibility as citizens of the United States.

THE SCIENCE CLUB HAS FIRST MEETING

One of the newly organized clubs on campus is the Science Club, which is getting off to a promising start.

At the first meeting ideas and plans were discussed for the organization of the club whose success depends upon the number of students attending. To promote interest in the Science Club some members have been passing around brochures with questions and items dealing with the club to see how many would be interested in joining it and if there are any suggestions that might be made.

Already planned are some field trips individual projects, and a long-range project. This consists of a large group of people who will scout around campus taking notice of the many different kinds of trees which they plan to label at a later date.

Other members will be able to work with many of the instruments and equipment in the science department. One individual plans to work with a hi fi set while others will take advantage of the 12 inch telescope. If the projects are too expensive for the individual, the science department will back them up financially if it is a reasonable amount.

All the instructors in the science department are willing to promote interest in the Science Club and to make it one of the outstanding functions on campus. Join the Science Club and support a worthwhile organization.



Holiday Fashions

by Kathy

Now that the holidays are upon us — Thanksgiving past and Christmas and New Years yet to come — our thoughts turn to clothes and the foremost in fashions for the oncoming season.

Of course, the perennial colors, red, white and green, are always appropriate, but as of late the golds and off whites as well as the teal blues have become extremely popular.

The beautifully classic clothes can endure and can survive the ever-changing fashions. A two-piece dress with the high straight neck falling into the rounded square back complete with tapered sleeves makes an attractive overblouse for a crisp wool crepe skirt that holds pleats to perfection — color suggestion medium beige.

For that special New Year's celebration, a silk brocade is a must! A slim, sleeveless dress with an open neckline, topped by a short jacket with a becoming wide collar that ends with a bow in front is high on the holiday suggestion list.

For the casual dresser, a winter green suit ensemble, with a collarless hip-length box jacket, buttoned to the neck over a sewed down pleated skirt and crisp, white blouse. This suit can serve as a turnabout. It can be either dressed up or dressed down. The accessories make the difference.

S.C.A. PLANS CHRISTMAS PROJECT

The S.C.A. is again placing a Christmas tree in the front hall of Woodruff. All gifts that are placed under the tree will go to the Preventorium in Pittsford. It is hoped that many students will be able to bring a small gift because the children eagerly look forward to opening these presents each year before Christmas. Through these remembrances the children really feel that they are wanted and loved by someone.

The Sunday before Christmas vacation the S.C.A. is also going to present a special program to the inmates in the Rutland County Jail. All students on campus are invited to participate.

S.N.E.A. NEWS

The Vermont Student Education Association will hold its next meeting on December 14, in Room 3 of Woodruff Hall. At the present time we have planned a Christmas party. There will be a sign up sheet for those wishing to attend. More definite plans will be announced soon.

Anyone wishing to join this organization must pay their dues by December 9. Dues are \$1.00. With this each member receives the *Blackboard*, the *V.E.A. magazine*, the *N.E.A. Journal*, and a liability insurance policy. Dues are payable to Ethel Hadaway.

For the dressy purpose a double stranded pearl choker and a small touch of flowers at the shoulders, a wispy veil hat and white suede gloves make a perfect outfit for the formal occasion.

Otherwise a monogrammed circle or bar pin and a wisp of a scarf at the neck (preferably shocking-pink) make it classic for that dinner date or fireside party.

Whatever the fashion, a bright, cheery smile makes for a pleasant holiday time.

COMING EVENTS

December	5	Glee Club
	7	Dramatic Club One-Act Plays — Gymnasium
		JV Basketball at Middlebury
	8	Glee Club
		CTC vs Farmington, home
	9	CTC vs Keene, home
	10	Glee Club
	12	CTC vs Johnson, home
		High School Girls Volley Ball CTC
	13	Square Dance
	14	VSEA (SNEA) Meeting
		CTC vs Lyndon, home
	15	Christmas dinner and Concert
		Leavenworth Open House
	17	Vacation

BASKETBALL SEASON UNDERWAY

by Sam Carrara

The Spartans of Castleton Teachers College have once again thrown open the doors of the gym to all eligible basketball players. With soccer season coming to an abrupt halt, Coach Terry and Assistant Coach Broaca have conducted tryouts for the 1960-61 basketball squad and have made final cuts.

The Varsity squad, coached by Mr. Terry, has fielded a strong team this year despite the heavy losses from last year's graduating class. The Spartans have five returning veterans with just one senior among them. One junior and four freshmen make up the rest of the ten man squad.

This year the Green and White are very well balanced in every department, especially in shooting. Big Bob Iusi, second in scoring last year as well as leading rebounder of the team, will again hold down the center spot. The forward positions are handled with great effectiveness by John Barth and Mike Barsalow who are both sharpshooters. Two newcomers to the team, James Yarter and Frank Zakrewski, show much potential in the backcourt. These new additions to the first team could mean a great deal of difference in the Spartans' final league standings.

Coach Terry also has a great deal of strength on the bench this year. Heading the list of reserves is the tallest player on the team, 6 foot 5 inch Don Orvis who can shoot with accuracy and rebound with the best big men. Other reserves who will see plenty of action are Howard Saunders — a slick ball handler, James Shaw, and a few other Freshmen.

With this outstanding list of available first team material, along with the vast resources of the Spartan bench, Coach

Terry could very well find himself on top of the Conference at the end of the season.

Assistant Coach Broaca will handle the reins of the Junior Varsity this year. He has said that this young team, made up of Freshmen and Sophomores, has great potential because of their ability to shoot, rebound and mork the ball with great efficiency.

Leading the Spartan J.V.'s will be Art DeLorenzo, Ed Fregosi, Roger Woodruff, Gary Payne and Bob Ward.

Players chart as follows:



Members of the Drama Club at Castleton are busily preparing their presentation of "The Bald Soprano" and "The Lesson." Both plays will be presented for the public on December 7 in the new gym.

Varsity — Coach Terry

Name	Height	Year	Hometown
Mike Barsalow	5' 11"	Junior	Fair Haven, Vt.
John Barth	5 11	Junior	Windsor, Vt.
Paul Harrington	6 1	Freshman	Windsor, Vt.
Bob Iusi	6 5	Junior	Fort Edward, N.Y.
Don Orvis	6 4	Junior	Proctor, Vt.
Howard Saunders	5 7	Senior	North Adams, Mass
James Shaw	5 10	Freshman	Fort Edward, N.Y.
Bill Wood	5 9	Freshman	Fair Haven, Vt.
James Yarter	6 1	Freshman	Glens Falls, N.Y.
Frank Zakrewski	6 2	Junior	West Rutland, Vt.
Roger Woodruff	6 2	Freshman	Poultney, Vt.

JUNIOR VARSITY — Coach Broaca

James Burgess	5' 9"	Freshman	Rutland, Vt.
Fletcher Coolidge	5 10	Freshman	Brandon, Vt.
Art DeLorenzo	6	Sophomore	Burlington, Vt.
Sam Pagano	5 7	Freshman	Niagara Falls, N.Y.
Gary Payne	5 11	Freshman	Braintree, Mass.
Dick Singleton	5 6	Freshman	Glens Falls, N.Y.
Mike Crowley	5 9	Freshman	Rutland, Vt.
Reg Benjamin	5 11	Sophomore	Benson, Vt.
Ed Fregosi	5 10	Sophomore	Proctor, Vt.
Gordon Kangas	6 5	Sophomore	Springfield, Vt.
Bob Ward	5 9	Sophomore	Fort Edward, N.Y.
Bill Skitt	6	Sophomore	N. Attleboro, Mass.
Lawrence Douglas	6	Freshman	Schenectady, N.Y.

MANAGERS — Kuno Olson, Byron Fish, Wayne Harvey

Varsity Basketball Schedule for December

Date	Team	Place	Time
December 2	Sienna College	Away	
8	*Farmington Teachers College	Home	8:15
9	*Keene Teachers College	Home	8:15
12	*Johnson Teachers College	Home	8:15
14	*Lyndon Teachers College	Home	8:15



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GLEE CLUB GIVES CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Leavenworth Hall Open House

Leavenworth Hall will entertain the faculty and student body at their open house at Leavenworth tonight. The festivities begin at nine o'clock immediately following the Glee Club Christmas Concert.

The lounge has already taken on a festive air with the usual Christmas trimmings complete with a gaily decorated Christmas tree.

Refreshments consisting of Christmas cookies, candies, and punch will be served in the lounge throughout the evening.

Christmas carols and music for dancing will be provided in the recreation room during the open house.

The traditional door decorating contest will also take place during the evening. Each year the members of the dorm decorate their doors before the party and the judges, who are members of the faculty, pick the two best decorated doors on each side. Prizes will be presented to each occupant of the four winning rooms.

Members of the dorm will be at hand to escort visitors who are interested in seeing the decorated doors and various rooms.

The host and hostess of the open house will be Sam Carrara, President of the Men's dorm, and Elvira Bellomo, the girls' dorm President. Chairman of the evening is Mary Lou Gallagher.

The evening will close with caroling from eleven until twelve by members of the dorm who will sing at the other dorms and faculty houses.

Yugoslavian Chorus in Community Concert

On Tuesday evening at 8:00 p.m., in the Mt. St. Joseph Academy auditorium, the Rutland Community Concert Association presented the Branko Krsmanovich Chorus of Yugoslavia, conducted by Bogdan Babich. The brilliant performance of this group captivated the audience throughout the program. Tone painting, depicting emotional heights of joy and agony, remarkably enhanced the "oneness" of the eighty voices.

The program was divided into three sections. The first two pieces were religious selections, sung in Latin, and were especially dynamic. During "Catulli Carmina," the last piece in the first section, a tenor soloist could still be heard above the crescendo and climax reached by the rest of the chorus.

"In Stiller Nacht" by Johannes Brahms, and "Soon Ah Will Be Done," a Negro spiritual by William Dawson, were two well-known pieces included in the program.

The last half hour was devoted to folk music which was sung in the native tongues of Serbo-Croat, Russian, and Macedonian. The concluding number, "Srpski Splet," was a Serbian suite of three dances. The voices were very jubilant and the audience was further enraptured by an instrumental quartet consisting of a clarinet, accordion, guitar, and bass viol.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the concert. The outbursts of applause were rewarded by several encores.

It is hoped that all the faculty and students will join us at some time during the evening to partake of the gaiety and enter into the Christmas spirit with us.

ONE-ACT PLAYS HELD AT C.T.C.

by Bob Undeen

The Castleton players presented two one-act plays entitled "The Lesson" and "The Bald Soprano" by Eugene Ionesco on the evening of December 7, 1960.



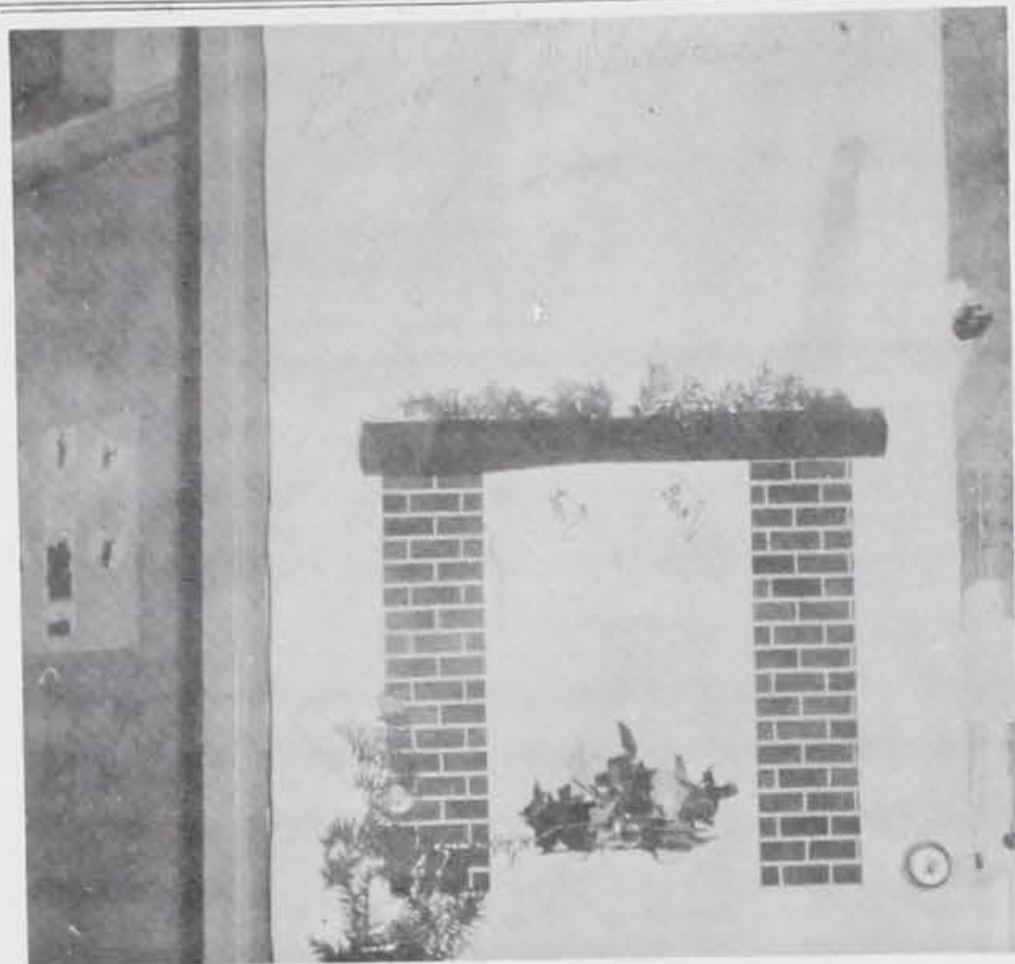
The author, Eugene Ionesco, in order to communicate his view of human experience dramatically, started by showing familiar characters in a familiar world — usually presented in a familiar theatrical convention — and then let the unfamiliar erupt through the picture until it disintegrated into an illogical world. His is a world in which the familiar and the unfamiliar, the logical and the illogical coexist, but never correspond.

"The Lesson" demonstrates Ionesco's attitude towards words. He makes it clear that for him words gain in significance as they lose in meaning. Jonathan Corwin deserves much credit for his able portrayal of the aged, but dynamic professor.

The plays were held at the College Auditorium-Gymnasium. Both were well done and were received by a near capacity crowd. It is hoped that the Drama Club will be stimulated to put on other contemporary productions.

The C.T.C. Glee Club produced two Christmas programs for the 1960 season. The first program was presented, in response to an invitation of the Rutland Chamber of Commerce, as part of Rutland's official recognition of the holiday season on Thursday evening, December 8, in Depot Square in the shadow of the City's gigantic Christmas tree. A program of well-known Christmas Carols, Brahms' "The Hunter," Handel's "For Unto Us a Child Is Born," "And Thee Glory Of The Lord," and two solos, "O Holy Night" by Madean White and "He Shall Feed His Flock" by Joyce McMeekin, floated forth on the breezes of a stinging north wind to a large audience of Rutlanders, interspersed with college students. Mrs. Eunice DeBarge was organist for the occasion.

The second program was of a more formal nature, presented in the College Auditorium after the Christmas dinner on December 15. The program opened with an A Cappella performance of Brahms' "The Hunter" by the Glee Club. This was followed by the "Overture" to the "Messiah" played by an instrumental ensemble consisting of Payson Webber and Dr. Kevin Cosgrove, violins, Russell Flagg, viola, of Rutland and Dan Farnsworth, cello, of Exeter, New Hampshire, who later played the "Pastoral Symphony" from the "Messiah." Janet Walker was organist. The other selections, all choruses from the "Messiah" were "And The Glory of the Lord," "For Unto Us A Child Is Born," "The Hallelujah Chorus" and a solo, "He Shall Feed His Flock" by Joyce McMeekin.



Ellis Hall, Leavenworth Men's and Leavenworth Women's Dorms are conducting door decorating contests this year. They will be judged by members of the faculty on Thursday night after the Christmas Banquet. This is one of the entries from Ellis Hall.

Accreditation And Phys. Ed.

by Tish Maslack

Very pleased at the news of Castleton Teachers College accreditation, Coach T. Richard Terry and Coach Peter Broaca felt that it will help the physical education program at Castleton in that they anticipate an increased application by Vermont High School athletes, who will no longer have to leave the state to get an education in an accredited institution which is not very expensive for the instate student.

The Institution will also be

more attractive to out of state students and athletes, due to crowded conditions of other accredited instate teachers colleges.

There will be an immediate advantage, for there was at least one team that would not schedule Castleton Teachers College in athletic competition because the school was not accredited, along with this, there are probably others.

So to the physical education department and to the rest of the school, being accredited means a lot and it is a goal that Castleton Teachers College has worked hard to gain.

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SNOW FALL

by Gilbert Hawkins

Slowly, thickly, rapidly, fall the snow-flakes. At first, they lose themselves in the brown mat of leaves and frostbitten grass, or gently melt as they fall upon the chalky flagstone walk leading to the front door. But as the first hour passes, the feathery flakes form a white blanket as far as the eye can see.

In the meadow across the road, the dried grass tips pierce the mantle of white, like so many spears; but as the storm goes softly on, they sink one by one to their snowy tomb for the remainder of the season.

Across the wide meadow, I can see nothing of these hills which were so green in summer. Now they are only soft floating masses, filling the air with whiteness. I can barely see one bare-armed and smudged oak, looming through the haze of snow flakes, like a weird ship's mast breaking through the fog-ridden night.

The roof of the barn is covered; but the eakingeaves show a dark stain of water, that has turned to ice.

Our old Labrador retriever "Duke" marches stately through the strange covering of earth, leaving behind him the first disturbance on the immaculate white blanket. He shakes the flakes from his long ears, and with a vain snap at a floating feather, stalks again to his dry cover on the porch. The cat, driven from the kitchen door, beats a coy retreat with long reaches of her feet upon the yielding surface.

As time elapses, the snow flakes pile more leisurely; they grow large and scattered, and come more slowly than before. The hills that were brown, immerge into sight as great rounded billows of white. The gray

woods look shrunken to half their height, and waving in the breeze.

The sun breaks through the dappled sky, and before me a winter fairyland appears. The glow of the sun writes on glittering crystal forms of icicles and frozen trees.

RELIGIOUS NEWS

The Newman Club was privileged to see a special movie on the life of Pope Pius XII on November 29. This film inspired all those who were present.

Plans for the meetings on January 10 and 24 have not yet been completed.

December 13, members of the Student Christian Association participated in their annual Christmas program. Martha Moxley, vice president, led the worship service, and Rev. John Divine from Whitehall, New York, was the guest speaker.

Earl Mound, acting as Superintendent of the college Maintenance Dept., was recently hospitalized by a serious illness. Mr. Mound, better known as "Earl" to most of us, has been a familiar face around the campus for a good many years. We are all wishing him a speedy recovery.

"SPARTAN SPARKLERS"

by Jeanne Longley

In the "modern world," the true spirit of Christmas is often swept aside, and in its place is the word, "Commercial." "Just what has happened to the true meaning of Christmas?" What do you think can bring back the tradition that Christmas is a time to give and not to think about how much you are going to receive?"

STEVE SQUEGLIA: "A factor of prime importance in solving this problem is a true meaning of the word 'give' as it was originally meant to be. Ask yourself this question, 'What was the occasion of the first Christmas gifts and are we holding true to this occasion?' If we feel that we are in this true spirit, our gift is not a 'commercial' gift and our Christmas is not a 'commercial' Christmas."

JAY MARCOUX: "To bring back the idea and the tradition of Christmas, we must synthesize the meaning of the word Christmas; to many it has different meanings—Why do we have Christmas? The answer to this is to celebrate Christ's birthday. Many of us never seem to realize that. All we think about is what we are going to get. I think it would do us all some good if we just forgot about ourselves for one day and thought of our neighbors. Remember this, 'It is better to give than to receive.'"

VIRGINIA WILLIS: "The true meaning of Christmas has been lost in the material world of today. The idea of receiving and giving has become first place and the religious aspect is given a back seat. If religion is given its rightful place, then giving will be in the true spirit, and receiving won't hold so much importance."

"MAX" BIOTY: "There should be less emphasis on material things and more interest in the religious aspects of Christmas. The real meaning of Christmas is Christ's birthday. Christmas, in a way, signifies the togetherness that a family should have. It brings a family closer together. Christmas should also be rejoicing over the gifts and presents one receives at this time"

CAROLEE CARROLL: "In my opinion, Ellis Hall has tried to bring back the real spirit of Christmas in respect to giving. Every girl in the dormitory becomes an 'angel' to another, keeping her identity a secret. A small gift is given or a deed of kindness is expressed each day for one week. It has been fully shown that, 'it is the thought behind giving rather than the gift.'"

ED FREGOSI: "Commercializing ruins the true meaning of Christmas."



Middlebury-C.T.C. Enjoy Volleyball

Saturday, December 3, the Spartenett volleyball squad had a playday at Castleton, with the Middlebury College girls volleyball team.

The girls played several games of volleyball and then decided to play basketball, which turned out to be an added attraction.

The girls had a very enjoyable time, and hope that more playdays can be scheduled in the future and that more girls will join in the fun.

Basketball intramurals will soon be starting and all the girls are welcome and encouraged to play.

It has gotten to the point where people are thinking of gifts for others and what they would like for themselves months before the holiday season. They do not realize that this is the birthday of Christ and that we should think of him instead of ourselves."

CAMPUS FASHIONS

by Kathy

The facts fortell a change in campus fashion for the new year. The skirts are full or pleated and S H O R T. Wonderfully wide belt accessories worn in new ways accentuate the waistline.

Let's turn to color. There is a glorious array with shocking, mad pink to head the list, followed by purple, or plum, emerald green and hues of yellow.

The ski pullover is tops in the sweater column, but the bulkier and bigger, the better for fashion. The ribbed or cabled sweaters and the large roll collars are included in the fashion fun for '61.

For the sporty campus dresser—knickers have arrived and off the ski slopes! They will be especially popular for the in-between seasons of Spring and Fall.

Eye make-up is a big change, too. It is stressed not only for the "big evening specials," but also for wear all day long.

LOOKING AHEAD

- January 4—Classes Resume
- January 5—Glee Club, 6:30 p.m.
Band Rehearsal, 7:30
Science Club, 7:00 p.m.
- January 6—Movie "Harvey," 7:00 p.m.
Spartans vs. Lowell, 7:00 p.m.
- January 7—Spartans vs. New Bedford, away
- January 9—Glee Club, 1:00 p.m.
Spartans vs. Keene, away
Spartan Meeting, 6:45 p.m.
- January 10—S.C.A., 7:00 p.m.
Newman Club, 7:15 p.m.
Court and Saunders—entertainment—7:30 p.m.
- January 11—S.N.E.A., 7:15 p.m.
- January 12—Glee Club, 6:30 p.m.
Spartans vs. Albany—home—6:30 p.m.
Science Club, 7:00 p.m.
- January 16—Glee Club, 6:30 p.m.
Spartans vs. Windham—home—6:30 p.m.
- January 17—S.C.A., 7:00 p.m.
- January 18—Spartans vs. North Adams, away

SPARTANS EDGE FARMINGTON

by Sam Carrara

Castleton, Dec. 8—Frank Zakrewski, 6 foot one inch southpaw sharpshooter, scored 8 important points in overtime to defeat Farmington Teachers College by the score of 74-72.

At half-time, Farmington led by five points but the Spartans riding a scoring surge by John Barth, pulled within easy striking distance of the leader. From then on neither side took a commanding lead, ending the regulation contest in a 61-61 deadlock.

The Big "Z" then took full control of the game, as he scored at will via his deadly jumpshot that couldn't be stopped. Jim Yarter was also an outstanding factor in the outcome of the game as his scoring and rebounding ability played an important role.

The only blurred portion of the entire game for Coach Terry was the inability of the Spartans to gather themselves against an average Farmington squad. Our Castleton "5" will have to improve in quality if a championship club is ever to be produced.

Box score

CASTLETON

	fg	ft	t
Yarter, g	6	1	13
Barth, g	9	2	20
Zakrewski, f	8	4	20
Orvis, c	1	6	8
Barsalow, f	3	0	6
Shaw, g	3	5	6
Woodruff, c	1	0	2
Total	31	13	74

FARMINGTON

	fg	ft	t
Cornelio, g	9	5	23
Greenlow, f	0	3	3
Williamson, c	6	7	19
Scruton, g	3	0	6
Budzko, f	7	3	17
Starr, g	2	0	4
Total	27	18	72

MIDDLEBURY

Field Free
Goal Throw Total

Cox	1	1	3
Zarontey	6	2	14
Pelton	2	0	4
Holmes	3	2	8
Baker	1	9	11
Skiff	0	0	0
Young	3	3	9
Murphy	1	0	2
Stolk	0	0	0
Hicock	1	0	2
Total	18	17	53

Field Free
Goal Throw Total

C.T.C.	5	3	13
Burgess	6	1	13
DeLorenzo	5	0	10
Fregosi	5	0	10
Woodruff	6	4	16
Payne	2	2	6
Coolidge	0	0	0
Ward	0	0	0
Total	29	10	68

SIENNA HALTS C.T.C.

On December 2nd, the Spartans of Castleton Teachers College were decisively trounced by a much stronger Sienna College by the score of 47-70. Sienna, one time National Collegiate champions, were leading by one point at half time but in the second half they opened up easily to defeat the Terrymen.



Castleton, hurting from the loss of its ace rebounder Bob Iusi, showed its potential in the first half by shooting and rebounding well under tension. But in the second half, the Spartans gave way allowing the opponents to score 42 points making the big difference in the game.

John Barth and Frank Zakrewski led the team during the first half but were held by a strong Sienna team to a very few points in the last minutes of the game.

Box score

CASTLETON

	fg	ft	t
Yarter, g	3	1	7
Barth, g	4	8	16
Zakrewski, f	5	5	13
Orvis, c	0	6	6
Barsalow, f	2	1	5
Total	13	21	47

SIENNA

	fg	ft	t
Smith, f	3	3	9
Ahern, c	2	2	6
Thorpe, f	7	3	17
Smith, g	4	1	9
Woodward, g	5	3	13
Pucci, f	2	0	4
Healey, g	4	4	12
Total	27	16	70

Half-time score — Sienna 28, Castleton 27

J. V. BASKETBALL

by Bill Skitt

The J.V.'s under patient tutelage of Coach Boraca, opened a sixteen game schedule against the powerful Siena Indians freshman team on December 2 at Siena. From the beginning the high spirit and the intense desire to win, that Coach Boraca had instilled in his charges was readily evidenced, as even in defeat they played excellent brand of basketball.

The Siena game saw the much taller and more talented Indians some on top by a score of 89 to 48. Outstanding for the Spartans was the defensive work of Jimmy Burgess and Gary Payne. Offensively the only Castleton player in double figures was Roger "Woody" Woodruff with 11 points. The loss of playmaker Sam Pagano, who was sidelined with a severely sprained ankle, was sorely felt in this game.

On Wednesday, Dec. 7, the Spartans traveled to Middlebury only to blow a ten point lead and come out on the short end of the verdict by the score of 53 to 52.

The Spartans were ineffective from the floor, and this was definitely the most important factor in their loss. The best player on the floor was easily the Spartan's Billy Wood as he poured 24 points through the hoop, and hit on sixty percent of his shots from the floor, to keep Castleton in the ball game until the waning seconds.

On Friday night, Dec. 9, the Junior Spartans played their first game of the year, playing host to the Owls of Keene Teachers College. The game was a close one, but Castleton was ahead all the way and finally come out on top, 68 to 65.

The victory was a team victory with each player contributing his best in the first win by a C.T.C., J.V. team over Keene.

Outstanding defensively were Gary Payne, Jimmy Burgess, and Art DeLorenzo who dominated both backboards against a much taller Keene team. Offensively five members of the team were in double figures at the end of the game. They were led by Billy Wood's sixteen points, with Jimmy Burgess and Art DeLorenzo contributing 13 points, while Ed "Honker" Fregosi and "Woody" Woodruff added ten points apiece.

This gives the Junior Varsity a 1 and 2 record and good prospects for a winning season.

C.T.C.	Field Goal	Free Throw	Total
Burgess	3	0	6
DeLorenzo	4	0	8
Fregosi	3	1	7
Woodruff	5	1	11
Wood	1	4	6
Coolidge	3	2	8
Ward	0	1	1
Kangas	0	0	0
Payne	0	1	1
Total	19	10	48

SIENNA	Field Goal	Free Throw	Total
Pekar	5	0	10
St. John	4	1	9
Byrnes	0	0	0
Tucker	2	2	6
Robbins	3	0	6
Delany	1	2	4
Nuttall	10	6	26
Bannon	0	1	1
Sheber	1	1	3
J. Byrnes	4	1	9
Cunningham	5	4	14
Total	35	18	89

C.T.C.	Field Goal	Free Throw	Total
Burgess	0	1	1
DeLorenzo	1	0	2
Fregosi	4	1	9
Woodruff	5	4	14
Wood	9	6	24
Payne	0	2	2
Coolidge	0	0	0
Total	19	14	52

KEENE	Field Goal	Free Throw	Total
Fenton	2	0	4
Zenianek	1	0	2
Noyse	7	6	20
Amsden	11	0	22
Moynihan	1	0	2
Garland	0	0	0
Jones	5	2	12
Murphy	1	1	3
Total	28	9	65



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Winter Carnival Being Planned

by Pat Keedy

The 1961 Winter Carnival is now in the planning stage at Castleton Teachers College. This year the weekend will carry the theme of Mardi Gras. Seeing as the weekend commences the 15th of February in correlation with the original Mardi Gras of New Orleans, Mardi Gras was thought to be an appropriate theme. The Mardi Gras will be held from February 15 to the 17th.

The chairmen for the various committees were chosen. Those chosen were:

Co-chairmen of Mardi Gras —
Mary J. Madigan
Skip Pietryka

Decorations —

Mary Ann Hunter
Andy Fortier

Publicity —

Patti Keedy
Jeanne Longley

Invitations —

Ann O'Conner
Ann Hatfield

Refreshments —

Lorna Smith
Jean Irons

Favors —

Tony Tully
Bob Ward

Flowers —

Pat Aquilia
Bonnie Hoffield

Clean-up

Howie Saunders
Jim Aiken

The Winter Carnival has always been a festive occasion. This is YOUR weekend and you do want it to be a success. The committee anticipates that all students will co-operate to make this one the BEST. "LET'S ALL PUT IN A HELPING HAND!"

Eastern States Representatives Chosen

Castleton sends representatives to teacher education conference at New York City. This conference has been designed specifically for college students interested in the teaching profession as a possible future career.

The Eastern States Conference, held in New York City, has been scheduled for March 23-25 of this year. The name of the Conference is "THE EASTERN STATES CONFERENCE FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING INSTITUTIONS." This will be the 36th annual Conference of its kind and its headquarters will be in the Hotel New Yorker. The theme will be "Frontiers in the Education of Teachers."

During this Conference, many groups will be formed to discuss the vital and current problems regarding the teaching profession. A chairman will head each group and conduct each individual discussion. Discussion will circulate basically around three categories:

1. teacher and community life
2. requirements and qualifications of prospective teachers
3. the teacher in classroom.

This year, the following students have been elected to attend the Conference: Senior class representative — Steve Squeglia; Junior class representative — Bobbie Dolan; Sophomore class representative — Skip Pietryka; and Freshman class representative — Jonathan Corbin. In addition



Court and Saunders Present Program

by John Sabo

The famous musical team of Court and Saunders, accompanied by Alice Chaplin at the piano, presented a program entitled "Courtship in Song, Tuesday evening, January 10, 1961, in woodruff Hall Auditorium before an enthusiastic audience.

Their opening selection, was a duet "Strong Music" from Guy's "Song of Norway" in which the couple appeared in summer stock this past season. Miss Saunders then gave a lively interpretation of "My Hero" from the operetta "The Chocolate Soldier." The versatile couple also presented selections from Puccini's "La Boheme", as well as arias from Verdi's operas and other familiar French and Italian operas.

Highlighting the evening was a salute to the late popular American composer Hammerstein. A medley from the musical South Pacific was followed by renditions from the current Broadway hit "The Sound of Music."

For a finale the amazing couple sang selections from "The Student Prince."

Before nominations were held, the importance of individual qualifications and leadership were stressed. In elected representatives, we truly feel these qualifications of leadership have been clearly illustrated. The school extends their congratulations to you.

Miss Hale, as chairman of the Student Discussion Groups at the Conference and as the Conference advisor here at C.T.C., urges all interested in this convention to attend if possible.

For a finale the amazing couple sang selections from "The Student Prince."

Editorial:

IT'S ONLY A COURTESY

The various traditions that have been preserved at Castleton are policies carried on by the students and faculty for many years. There is no one—faculty member or student—that would deliberately try to abolish any tradition that proves practical and enjoyable. Nevertheless, when long standing policies are no longer practical or possible, they must be dropped.

Many off-campus students have expressed concern over the long time tradition of commuters attending the various banquets at school this year. Their biggest argument lies in the belief that their activity fee entitles them to participate in these functions.

However, this argument has no base. If we were to refer to the college handbook we would find the section dealing with student activity fees reads:

"This fee covers the expense of all student activities, including clubs, dances, social events, the yearbook and the newspaper."

In the entire handbook there is no statement to the effect that they are entitled to any banquet during the year by paying their student activity fee. In fact, the tradition of commuters attending banquets was a courtesy offered them by the administration; it had nothing to do with the activity fee or the student government. This policy was started so that the entire student body, faculty, and staff could gather together at intervals during the school year in the spirit of the occasion inducing the banquet.

This year, with an increased number of students and faculty members, it was impossible to continue this tradition. The size of our dining room is far too inadequate to accommodate such a large group. Its largest possible seating capacity is 250.

If past policies were followed, invitations must be extended to the entire student body (426), as well as the faculty and their families, the staff, and the demonstration teachers (70). This gives a total of about 516 people that would be invited. The only solution found was to drop the banquet tradition.

However, this is one tradition that we all regret to see dissolved. There is a bill before the state legislature for a new dining room—one that could accommodate the entire enrollment of the school. And when we get it, without a doubt, this tradition will be revived.

Of course, these facts do not settle the commuters problems. There are now more commuters than on-campus students in the college. It is not fellow classmates. They are so anxious to do this that they are trying to start a Commuters Club.

I have a suggestion that they might consider. Maybe a group would look into its possibilities sometime during the year. This would give them a chance to meet and socialize in a climate that would make such an affair possible.

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ODDS and ENDS

by Judy Barry

Among those who announced their engagements during the holidays are Janet Walker, Cindy Browne, Carol Taft, Jane Martin, Mary Ann Bania, Kathy Macia, Pat Fryzell, and Pat Picchi. There was also a holiday wedding, that of Ella O'Bryan to Dick Hayden.

Leavenworth Hall had a very successful open house, December 15, 1960. Both the men's and women's rooms were gaily decorated to match the season. Delicious refreshments were served by the girls of Leavenworth. Everybody had a wonderful time. Prizes for the best decorated doors went to Francine Rohm and Sandra Davenport (first prize) and Susan Ribberdy and Rosemary Pelkey (second) for the women, and to Jonathan Corbin and John Witalec (first) and Peter Messina and David Murray (second) for the men.

A number of the faculty took holiday trips. Mr. and Mrs. White went to Newport, R.I.; Dr. Cook and Miss Ewald to New York City; Dr. and Mrs. Patterson and Dr. Hinckley to New Jersey; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Terry to Bedford Village, New York; Miss Hale to Miami, Florida; Miss Black to Warren, R.I.; Mr. Broaca to Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Sweitzer to Pennsylvania; Dr. and Mrs. Smith to Townshend; Mr. and Mrs. Robinson to Minnesota and Miss Thompson to Conn.

The new lights on the Leavenworth parking area and the freshly painted dining room and the reupholstered furniture in the Rec Room were much appreciated by everyone on their return from the holidays.

Looking Ahead

by Pat Picchi

January	20-25	— Exams
January	26-30	— Semester break
January	30	— Classes resume Glee Club, 6:30 p.m. Band Rehearsal, 7:30 p.m.
January	31	— S.C.A., 7:00 p.m. Spartan Meeting, 6:45 p.m.
February	1	— Spartans vs. Plymouth, away S.N.E.A. 7:15 p.m.
February	2	— Glee Club, 1:00 p.m. Science Club, 7:00 p.m.
February	3	— Spartans vs. Gorham, away Movie, 7:30 p.m.
February	4	— Spartans vs. New England College, away
February	6	— Glee Club, 6:30 p.m. Gym Club, 7:00 p.m.
February	7	— Spartans vs. Oneonta, away S.C.A., 7:00 p.m. Newman Club, 7:00 p.m.
February	8	— Helen Francis—entertainment—7:30 p.m.
February	9	— Glee Club, 1:00 p.m. S.N.E.A., 7:00 p.m. Science Club, 7:00 p.m.
February	10	— Spartans vs. Lyndon, away

WINTER CARNIVAL BUDGET APPROVED

At a meeting on January 11, 1961, the Senate voted \$325 for the Winter Carnival budget, to pay part of the furniture repair bill for the rec room, to paint the Rec Room and to transfer cleaning of the Rec Room to the Maintenance Department.

Final approval of club expenditures will be made at the next meeting. Any money then not allocated to specific projects will then become available to the clubs on special request or for some other needed S.A. project.

Attention was called to more careful use of the furniture in the Rec Room as well as to the need for more chairs to sit on.

Student Opinion

by Jeanne Longley

As we all know, "Winter Carnival" is the biggest event of the year at C.T.C. Winter Carnival requires much work and concentration in order to make it successful. This year our Winter Carnival is going to be bigger and better and to make it such, co-operation is required. Everyone wants their name on the list to help, but dread the thoughts of the actual work. How can we get everyone to pitch in and make this Winter Carnival one to remember?

Jean Dixon:

"In order to receive help on any project such as Winter Carnival, there must be a feeling of excitement and anticipation for it. The Winter Carnival must be built up above everything else. The students should be informed about its progress and just what help is needed."

Calvin Hastings:

"Every big dance that has come up here at C.T.C. seems to be planned and executed by the same few hard-working conscientious persons who want to have these dances a success. This small group sees that the dance is a success often at the expense of their own enjoyment at the dance. If everybody will pitch in and help the dance committees and contribute a few new ideas, I'm sure the Winter Carnival will be a huge success."

Ruth Gaffney:

"Everyone wants Winter Carnival to be a success — everyone wants to have a good time, but it seems that no one wants to put a little effort into making it such. If everyone would pitch in and give a hand, there really wouldn't be so much work for any one person to do. So let's all work together and make this the Winter Carnival to remember!"

MaryJane Madigan, Co-chairman:

"There is really not much any one individual can do to enlist the co-operation of the entire student body. It is a matter of each individual wanting to work and wanting to do his share in putting on this weekend. This Winter Carnival is for the entire student body, not for just the chairmen of the committees. So we will publicize it, let everyone know what work is involved, and

SOCIAL REC.

PLANS FOR 1961

The presentation of "Harvey," a movie starring James Stewart, began the activities of the Social Recreation Committee for the new year. A formal study of a man and his alter-ego as represented by a "poaka." The movies was especially well received.

Looking forward to February and March, the Committee, under the direction of Barbara Dolan, has engaged Miss Helen Francis, a monologist for February 8, and the Winged Victory Chorus, a 15 voice male group specializing in old favorites on March 8, 1961.

S. C. A. NEWS

Recently the members of the Student Christian Association voted to start a Bible Club which is sponsored by the Word of Life Fellowship. Each week the group will participate in an intensive study of some part of the Bible under the leadership of Reverend Harry Snook of Rutland.

Although there will be no guest speakers, the regular functions and activities of the S.C.A. will continue. The meetings will still be held at 7 o'clock in the Federated Church on Tuesdays. All students are welcome.

what committees need help. If the students' disinterest and uncooperativeness continues, we will realize they don't want a Winter Carnival and will call off the entire weekend."

M. L. Bruehl:

"There is no method by which we can get everyone to pitch in and help."

Bonnie Hoffield:

"I do not know of any sure way to get people to pitch in and help. Co-operation is an individual responsibility. The formula for a successful weekend is original ideas, careful planning, and lots of people. The committees are working hard, but need help and only your help will make it a real college weekend!"

J. V. BASKETBALL

C.T.C. J.V.'s BEAT LYNDON J.V.'s IN DOUBLE OVERTIME

by Art DeLorenzo

After a tremendously hard fought game the Castleton J.V.'s came from a nine point deficit with 1:39 seconds left to tie Lyndon. They finally pulled away in the second overtime to win.

At the beginning of the first overtime Lyndon jumped into. At the end of the first overtime the score was again tied, this time at 75-75. The well conditioned J.V.'s finally put an end to the ruckus as they scored eight straight points in the second overtime to win the game. The final tally was C.T.C. 89 and L.T.C. 83.

The game was a hard fought one, for the home team did not have the height that Lyndon did. There were on individual stors, as they worked as a team all through the game. They continually fought on the backboards, as if the ball was made of gold. Jimmy Burgess, Gary Payne, and Roger Woodruff excelled in rebounding while Billy Wood, Ed Fregosi, and again Jimmy Burgess put through the two pointers for the junior Spartans.

C.T.C. traveled to Keene on Monday, January 9. The game was exciting and close throughout the evening but ineffectiveness from the floor cost the J.V.'s a heart breaking loss. Gordan Kangas played an excellent game for Castleton but he couldn't handle the backboards by himself. The final score was K.T.C. 54 and C.T.C. 48.

Box Scores

Castleton Juniors				Lyndon Juniors			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Burgess	9	3	21	Heath	4	2	10
DeLorenzo	8	1	17	Mugford	4	1	9
Fregosi	6	2	14	Mosher	2	2	6
Woodruff	4	0	8	Wright	2	4	8
Wood	9	6	24	Malnati	7	6	20
Payne	0	5	5	Huntington	12	4	28
	—	—	—	Bartlett	1	0	2
Totals	36	17	89	Totals	32	19	83

Castleton Juniors				Keene Juniors			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Burgess	1	4	6	James	0	3	3
DeLorenzo	2	2	6	Noyes	3	5	11
Fregosi	6	2	14	Amsden	4	3	11
Woodruff	2	1	5	Wood	6	6	18
Wood	4	2	10	Moynahan	2	4	8
Payne	1	3	5	McGettington	0	0	2
Kangas	1	0	2	Murphy	0	1	1
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Totals	17	14	48	Totals	15	22	54

BASKETBALL SEASON REVIEW

Castleton, Dec. 9—Keene Teachers College scored 10 important points in overtime to topple Castleton by the score of 70-62. Intermission found Keene trailing by 5 points but the high scorer of the game, John Woods, led them in a second half led them in a second half spurt that tied the Spartans at the end of the regulation game 60-60. From that time on Keene was in full control as they scored at will in overtime.

Outstanding for Castleton were John Barth and Jim Yarter.

CASTLETON				KEENE			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Yarter, g	6	8	20	Bickwith, f	6	8	20
Barth, g	9	2	20	Dunbar, f	2	3	7
Zakrewski, f	4	0	8	Baldassaro, c	4	4	12
Orvis, c	3	1	7	Wood, g	9	7	25
Barsalow, f	3	1	7	Merrigan, g	0	1	1
				Frechette, c	2	1	5
Totals	25	12	62	Totals	23	24	70

Castleton, Dec. 12—Johnson falls easily to Castleton as four starters hit double digits. The game, which proved to be a lopsided contest, fell to the Spartans by the score of 73-54. The Terrymen finally showed that they do have the offensive threat as big Don Orvis finally came through. He poured in 19 points as well as a number of rebounds in a game where he was easily the outstanding player. This spot considered to be weakened by the loss of Bob Iusi would no longer be a problem to Coach Terry if Orvis continues to produce.

CASTLETON				JOHNSON			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Yarter, g	8	2	18	Gaudreau, g	5	3	13
Barth, g	4	3	11	Chase, g	2	1	5
Orvis, c	5	9	19	Titus, f	5	3	13
Zakrewski, f	8	0	16	Gevais, f	4	2	10
Barsalow, f	2	1	5	Lyons, g	1	1	3
Shaw, f	1	0	2	Braga, c	1	3	5
Woodruff, g	1	0	2	Titus, g	5	3	13
				Johnson, f	2	1	5
Totals	29	15	73	Totals	20	14	54

Castleton, Dec. 14—Lyndon Teachers College proved too strong for the Green-and-White of Castleton as they easily gained a 93-70 victory. All through the entire game Lyndon kept up a high percentage of shooting which proved to be too much for Castleton. Lyndon also showed its bench strength to be superior as their substitutes proved to excel some of the starters.

CASTLETON				LYNDON			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Yarter, g	7	1	15	Girard, f	6	1	13
Barth, g	5	4	14	Skirry, f	3	0	6
Orvis, c	1	4	6	White, g	2	0	4
Zakrewski, f	7	2	16	Tipson, f	4	2	10
Shaw, g	0	4	4	Aldinger, c	1	5	7
Barsalow	5	5	15	Airchison, c	4	1	9
				Pinard, g	2	1	5
Totals	25	20	70	Dewing, g	7	8	22
				Ladakakos, g	7	3	17
				Totals	36	21	93

Lowell, Mass. Jan. 6—The first game of the Spartan road trip proves successful as Lowell Teachers College falls to them by the score of 64-63. This game proved to be rough because in the closing minutes of the game Lowell suddenly came alive with a scoring spurt that nearly upset the Terrymen. Our defense then came to life to halt the Lowell "5" two points short of victory.

Leading the Green and White of Castleton were Jim Yarter and John Barth.

CASTLETON				LOWELL			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Yarter, rg	6	4	16	Gallager, lf	7	9	23
Barth, lg	6	2	14	Kazo, rg	8	3	19
Orvis, c	5	1	11	Manousos, c	3	3	9
Zakrewski, rf	4	4	12	Georges	3	2	8
Barsalow	1	0	2	Pelley, rf	0	0	0
Shaw, lf	3	1	7	Abraham, lg	2	0	4
Wood	1	0	2				
Totals	26	12	64	Totals	23	17	63

New Bedford, Mass. Jan. 7—New Bedford Technical Institute spoiled Castleton's bid for a successful road trip by scoring an 85-64 defeat over the Terrymen. The big factor was 6 foot 6 inch Tom Muson of New Bedford who scored 28 points and dominated the boards. This, along with fancy shooting, was enough for a league win over Castleton.

This loss leaves Castleton with an overall record of 3 wins and 4 defeats.

CASTLETON				NEW BEDFORD			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Zakrewski, f	7	1	15	McNamara, f	6	4	16
Barsalow, f	5	2	12	Hall, f	3	0	6
Shaw, g	1	3	5	Pacheco, f	3	6	12
Saunders, g	1	0	2	Duffy, f	0	2	2
Orvis, c	2	1	5	Munson, c	10	8	28
Woodruff, c	1	0	2	Hefty, c	1	0	2
Barth, g	7	2	16	Violante, g	2	0	4
Yarter, f	3	1	7	Sullivan, g	1	1	3
				Trznadel, g	5	3	13
Totals	27	10	64	Totals	31	24	86

Castleton, Jan. 12—Albany College of Pharmacy upset Castleton in what proved to be the most thrilling game of the year thus far. The score at the final buzzer saw Albany winning 71-70, but just before the game ended John Barth dramatically swished a long one from half court which would have meant a win for the Terrymen. But the referee ruled no basket, giving Albany the win.

CASTLETON				AIBANY COL., PHARMACY			
	FG	FT	T		FG	FT	T
Yarter, rg	2	3	7	Kelley, lf	4	1	9
Barth, lg	5	1	11	Grinder, rf	5	7	17
Orvis, c	1	4	6	Rubinger, c	4	4	12
Zakrewski, lf	11	5	27	Toomalian, lg	4	8	16
Iusi	2	3	7	Golden	1	0	2
Shaw	3	2	8	Reynolds	3	0	4
Saunders, rf	0	0	0	Breakemier, rg	5	1	11
Wood	2	0	4				
Totals	26	18	70	Totals	25	21	71



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NEW FACULTY ARRIVES AT C.T.C.

Recently three people were added to the faculty of Castleton Teachers College. We are fortunate to have Dr. Joseph Jardine, Mr. Harold Anderson, and Mr. Richard Diehl, who are working in our Education, Science, and Music Departments respectively.

Dr. Joseph Jardine, who came here from New Haven, Connecticut, taught in Providence, Rhode Island for four years. He received his B.A. in philosophy from Rutgers University and got his M.A. and Ph.D. in philosophy of education from Yale. Although Dr. Jardine generally prefers summer sports, he is now skiing for the first time. In addition to being an avid fan of football and baseball, he is proficient in chess and likes tennis. When asked for his first impression of C.T.C., Dr. Jardine remarked, "Despite a lack of outside stimulation, the students have managed to fulfill that lack through entertaining themselves and one another. Thrust upon their own resources the students have managed to rescue their days from ennui."

Mr. Harold Anderson comes to us from Brandon, Vermont. He was a graduate of West Rutland High School and was a star athlete in football and baseball. He attended Muhlenberg College (Allentown, Pennsylvania), and Harvard University. He has coached football, baseball, and hockey at Atlantic City High School in New Jersey. Previously he taught science in the same school. His favorite hobby is operating ham radios. His first impressions of Castleton were "Doing a wonderful job. A well equipped science building. Everyone seems to be very friendly. Students are most cooperative and willing to learn."

From Lisbon Falls, Maine is Mr. Richard Diehl. Previously he taught in public grade schools. Mr. Diehl attended Bates College, Boston University, and Indiana University, and now has his Master's Degree in music education. He takes a keen interest in photography and enjoys sports. Mr. Diehl thinks that the students are very friendly and is surprised to find such good school spirit. He remarked that on the campus of our college there is more opportunity to form closer student relationships.

Winter Carnival Huge Success

For the last two weeks the recreation room at Castleton Teachers has been decked with brilliant posters, each with a message regarding the way that we should vote when choosing our king and queen. Anticipation grew to a peak on Tuesday evening when skits were presented in support of the various candidates. Scenes from far away forests, international tea rooms, and basketball courts were among those witnessed by the audience. These skits officially began the 1961 Winter Carnival.

On Wednesday Castleton upset the top ranking basketball team in the league to set the stage for a rollicking weekend. Thursday found the students at the polls voting for the candidates that they thought best deserved the title of king or queen of the Carnival. That evening a banquet was held. The annual Ski Boot Banquet was filled with laughter as the jesters—Sam Pagano and Sue Limoges—went through their hilarious antics.

Following the banquet, the climax came for the prospective monarchs and court members. A torch light parade was led up the stairs of Woodruff Hall by two members from each class. Following them were the members of the court. Then came the two successful candidates—Queen Pat and King George. After the coronation ceremonies a soc hop was held in the rec room.

On Friday winter activities were held between classes. Participation was very poor, and the activities were quite uneventful. The Junior class won the day's events. In the evening, Castleton rolled over Sir George Williams in the basketball game. After the game there was another soc hop in the gym.

Another victory for the basketball team came on Saturday afternoon when Castleton beat Rhode Island College of Education. Fun was provided by some of the boys in school who dressed up like hobos and helped the cheerleaders maintain the spirit of the audience.

Although rain, ice, and fog made the going very rough on Saturday evening, it did not stop a capacity crowd from attending the Winter Carnival Formal. The gym was gayly decorated in accordance with the

Incoming Students

C.T.C. wishes to extend a cordial welcome to the following incoming students: Carolyn Bigelow, Fair Haven, Vt.; Harold Burke, Rutland; John Butler, Ludlow; Lynda Chamberlain, Newport, Vt.; Thomas Chaplin, Whitehall, N.Y.; Daniel Collins, Rutland; Gary Dodge, Chelsea; Roger Eliot, Eagle Bridge, N.Y.; Charles Farrell, Brandon; Susan Farwell, Wells River; Sandra Garron, Springfield; Harold Gates, Pittsford; Michael Gavin, Windsor; William Guinness, Rutland; Carol Holden, Brandon; Sylvia Johnson, Plainfield; Thomas Joyce, Rutland; Karen Kennedy, Rutland; George King, Bronx, N.Y.; James King, Benson; Joseph Lafaso, Rutland; Armond LaPine, Pittsford; Jerry Lentini, Monponsett, Mass.; Raymond Libuda, Ludlow; Carol Makey, Burlington; Ann Main, Groton; Joseph Marino, Bellows Falls; Richard Marshall, Proctor; Dorothy Matte, Whitehall, N.Y.; Mary McCormick, East Poughkeepsie; Cynthia McGlynn, Williamstown; Charles Memoe, Brandon; Ernest Meuser, Lincoln, Rhode Island; John Notte, Rutland; Denis O'Brien, Rutland; Kenneth Perrotte, Winoski; Theresa Phelon, Fair Haven; Alice Powers, Whitehall, N.Y.; Ruth Pritchard, Fair Haven; Jacqueline Shea, Oceanside, N.Y.; Carolyn Silsby, Middlebury; Arois Stevens, Chester; Thomas Swahn, Rutland; Neil Sweeney, Glens Falls, N.Y.; James West, Manchester; Thomas Whittemore, Rutland; Dallan Wilson, Fair Haven; Lee Wilson, Rutland; and Jack Williams, Poughkeepsie.

We hope that you all enjoy your stay here at C.T.C.

SPARTAN TRYOUTS

The *Spartan* cordially invites those interested in writing to speak to the editor or to attend the next *Spartan* meeting which will be posted on the bulletin board. Articles will include features, personality sketches, and news coverage.

theme of the dance — Mardi-Gras. During the dance Queen Pat was presented with a bouquet of red roses. Also, a floor show was presented by the band and its members.

All in all, it was a real College weekend.

Students Receive Scholastic Honors

PRESIDENT'S LIST

Barbara Duchane, Wallingford
Ferne Mills, Florence

DEAN'S LIST

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Velita Bebo, Whitehall, New York
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Editorial: CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations are in order for Pat Boucher and George Bergin, who ruled over the 1961 Winter Carnival at Castleton Teachers College. They were certainly fine representatives for the student body to choose.

Also, a good deal can be said about their court which consisted of Larry Cook, Marcel Carrier, Judy Barry, Bonnie Hoffeld, Mary-Jane Madigan, and Tish Maslack. Their campaigns were fun-filled, helping to make the week-end as successful as it was. Each of them would have made a very good queen or king.

The decorations for the dance were exceptional, and most of the work had to be done in the short time that was left between the basketball game and the formal. It is too bad that more students did not volunteer their help in the decorations and refreshments. A small faithful group of students were left with most of the work.

The basketball games were an added attraction in that they made possible a chance for tournament play. The Spartans beat the leading team in the league, thus raising the spirit of the students throughout the entire week-end.

All in all, the Winter Carnival was a huge success this year. Everything seemed to run smoothly, and a good time was had by all!

SENATE NEWS

Due to the increased student interest in the Eastern States Conference in New York City, the Senate voted at its recent meeting to provide a driver so that the College bus could be used for the trip.

Other businesses transacted, beside routine matters, was the setting up of a budget for the Commencement Ball which will be sponsored by the Junior Class and the decision to try a tentative experiment to eliminate the noontime lunch jam so that crowding in all areas will be avoided. It was also decided to suspend card playing in the Rec Room between the hours of nine o'clock in the morning and two o'clock in the afternoon to provide

Campus Personality

In the past it has been the policy of the *Spartan* to contain an article called Campus Personality. This type of article was very well received by the student body. Due to the great rise in commuter population and participation in extra-curricular activities *The Spartan* will now print a column entitled Commuter Personality giving some of the highlights in the life of Castleton's commuters.

sufficient space for students patronizing the Snack Bar.

President George Bergin reminded the Senate members that students should carry their ID cards at all times.

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"Vermont College News"
February 27, 1961

VC RECIPIENT OF LARGE BEQUEST

The columns of the Times-Argus, area newspaper for Barre and Montpelier, carried on Tuesday, February 21, the news that Vermont College is to be the recipient of a large bequest from the estate of the late Dr. Julius E. Dewey of Montpelier.

The bequest, amounting to \$59,600.75, was one of three equal grants made in Dr. Dewey's will to Vermont College, Christ Episcopal Church in Montpelier and UVM's School of Medicine in Burlington.

"The Rutland Herald"

March 1, 1961

The Governor nominated Mrs. Harold Brown of Castleton and John C. Kristensen, Brattleboro lawyer, to the State Board of Education. Mrs. Brown, wife of State Senator Harold M. Brown of Castleton, is president of the Vermont Federation of Women's Clubs.

EDITOR'S NOTE:

Mrs. Brown was a demonstration teacher at CTC before her marriage.

"The Lyn News"

February 21, 1961

JUDICIAL BRANCH DISCUSSED

A note of sincere concern was evident at the assembly Wednesday, February 8, for consideration of a proposed amendment to the Student Government Constitution concerning the establishment of a high judiciary branch at LTC.

Many pros and cons were presented in a tension-filled hall following the opening of the session by James Corologos, president of the student government.

The extent of the powers of the proposed Student Supreme Court was questioned at length. If the amendment is accepted and the judiciary established, the decisions of the judges will be final unless the case is appealed to Dr. Long.

The amendment will be voted on by Australian ballot.

Parlez Vous Francais?

L'Automne

C'est la belle saison
Les feuilles Tombant à teue
Aimez cette saison
Elle est très court.

Les feuilles fumant
Ils font une odeur délicate
Le temps est beau, Mais
Il est très courts.

C'est l'automne
Il arrive une fois par an
C'est dimmage
Il est très court.

Marjorie Manning

This year a new and exciting course has been added to our curriculum. It is entitled, "The Teaching of French in the Elementary School." In conjunction with this course, besides the usual lecture period, the twenty students who are taking it travel to Fair Haven Graded School three afternoons a week. There they observe the course instructor, Mrs. Dorion teach beginning French to 17 youngsters in the fourth grade.

Before going to Fair Haven, the students attend a lecture during which they learn the background of foreign language teaching in the United States and methods used in this field.

The demonstration class is conducted for the most part in French and only after three classes, the fourth graders understand many simple commands and can say quite a few things in French.

Their interest and adaptability to language learning is already showing Castleton students that a foreign language should be begun in the elementary school.

Mrs. Margaret Leonard is the co-operating teacher.

Films To Be Shown

The following movies have been rented by the Social Recreation Committee to be shown on the respective dates. Each production will be presented in the Old Auditorium.

Feb. 24—Thunder on the Hill

C. Colbert

Ann Blyth

March 3—Louise

Ronald Reagan

Piper Laurie

April 7—Bedtime for Bongo

Ronald Reagan

Dianna Lynn

Bongo

April 28—Up Front

David Wayne

Tom Ewell

FASHIONS

A blanket of snow still covers the ground, but we should look ahead as the coming of spring is soon approaching.

With Spring, almost around the corner, we turn our attention to fashions and what will be the current trend this season.

PINK is the favorite color. Shades of raspberry ice point the way to spring's new pink. Whether found in designs of check or plaid, pink, seems the outstanding hue of the coming season.

This spring, it's details that make the difference between just wearing clothes and "being with it," like the pale glove, new alternate to white. Another favorite is the pale and pretty pointed-toe shoes.

One of the most versatile and popular additions to the spring's fashion is the go-anywhere jacket dress. This costume can go on shopping trips, on dates and may appear at informal dances.

For almost unlimited mix-and-match possibilities, another jacket made in coordinating fabrics may be worn.

The designs in hats are very becoming this year. College students seem to go in for the petite pixie hat, others prefer the wide brim circular style.

Newman Club News

At the Newman Club Meeting held on Tuesday, February 7, 1961, at the Catholic Center, Father Searles, MSJ Principal and St. John's Sunday Assistant discussed "Liturgy and Life" (the nature and spirit of Catholic worship). Father's talk was followed by a general discussion period — and refreshments.

All new incoming students are extended a welcome to join the *Newman Club*. All meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 7:15 p.m. If you are interested in joining, come to a regular meeting, or contact Bonnie Thorburn or Frank Zakrzewski for further information.

"The King of Kings" is the title of the movie to be shown in the Village School Gym on February 19 at 7 p.m.. It is for the benefit of the *Newman Club* and everyone is welcome. Donations are: Students, 25c; Adults, 50c.

"Babysitters Needed" — to take care of the small children of the parish so that their parents may attend Mass together. This will begin February 12, and will be held at the Catholic Center during the 11 a.m. Mass. If you are interested in helping out please contact Andrea Fortier. If you are asked to help, please co-operate.

Air Force
Chorus Entertains

by Judith A. Yotheimer

On Wednesday evening, March 8, 1961, the Winged Victory Chorus presented a program of unusual interest in the Auditorium.

The fifteen choristers, under the direction of Joe Baris, opened their program with Medleys from "South Pacific" and "Around The World." This was followed by a Baritone Solo by Peter Potter, "Zur guten Nacht," (For a Last Good Night), "Dry Bones," "Roger Young," and "You'll Never Walk Alone." After a short intermission the Chorus continued their program with "The Palms," "Panis Angelicus" — a tenor solo by Larry Blyth, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" — a tenor solo by Artie Smalley, "Ride the Chariot" — a baritone solo by Stephen Bolster, "Set Down Servant," "Old Man River," "This is My Country," and concluded with a Medley from "My Fair Lady."

The Winged Victory Chorus has appeared in many top entertainment spots in the United States, Canada, Mexico, and Europe including the Metropolitan Opera House and Carnegie Hall in New York, the Thunderbird Hotel in Las Vegas, El Patio in Mexico City, La Porte in St. Jean, Quebec, and the Salzburg Music Festival. During their European tour, they appeared in Rome, Paris, Berlin, London and many other cities. In the United States, The Chorus has appeared in top theatres, night-clubs, hotels, industrial shows, fairs, and they did a concert tour covering forty-six states for the Civic Music Association.

The Chorus has appeared on television with Robert Q. Lewis, Steve Allen, Paul Winchell, Kate Smith and ABC's Melody Tour. All in all it was a very memorable evening for everyone, especially the Juniors who were entertaining their cooperating teachers.

MAJOR DAUCHY
SPEAKS HERE

Major William M. Dauchy, USAF Officer Selection Specialist, visited Castleton Teachers College on February 23, 1961 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Major Dauchy, whose headquarters is USAF Recruiting Detachment 103, 3050 Erie Boulevard East, Syracuse, New York, was in this area to interview male and female college graduates with baccalaureate degrees who are interested in gaining information pertaining to the officer training with the USAF.

Interviews for other times may be arranged by calling Sgt. Larry Morris Air Force Recruiter at 90 Merchants Row, Rutland, Vt., phone PR 3-7783.



Commuter Personality

Mary Lou Dunlap

Mary Lou graduated from West Rutland High School in 1958. While in High School she was active in the school year book, the Green and Gold, West Rutland's school paper and the Senior one-act play. She was also a class officer in her freshman year in the capacity of Secretary-Treasurer.

Upon graduating from High School she entered Castleton with the prospect of becoming an elementary teacher. Here at Castleton Mary Lou is active in the Glee Club, Ford Foundation and is Editor of the Commuter's column in the Spartan. She has often given help to various classes in decorating for dances.

As for special interests . . . Well, her first two years she aided in the field of public relations between C.T.C. and the Castleton Chamber of Commerce by working at Ballard's. As for this year, methods courses and the prospect of student teaching are taking up most of her time although she does occasionally date.

Her reactions to three years at Castleton . . . "I am very happy that we received our long awaited accreditation. Although I do not live on campus I believe that it has not hindered me in any way from making friends and attending school functions. I can truthfully say that I am proud of the school and the standards it is aspiring toward."

INTRAMURALS

by Dick Singleton

Before the semester break, under the capable direction of Sam Carrara, the men's intramural league was organized. Approximately 50 men make up the five teams. The teams are Leavenworth third floor, headed by Sam Carrara; Leavenworth second floor headed by John Whitalac; Morrill House captioned by Dave Hunt; Dave Mosher heads the Castleton entry, while John Sabo manages the West Rutland contingent. The Rutland Five is headed by Joe Bioty.

There have been three games played up to date. In the initial contest Castleton lost to Rutland to the tune of 64 to 44. Paving the way in the scoring column for the winners was Notte with 20 followed by Bioty with 16 and Nichols with 10. For the losers it was Bountress and Walker with 10 apiece.

Saturday afternoon found Leavenworth third floor victorious over the Castleton five. The score was 39 to 24. Sam Carrara with 12 and Sam Pagano with 10 led the winner's attack while the losers were paced by the mine sharp shooting of Gordon Murphy with 8.

In the second contest, held Saturday afternoon, West Rutland went down to defeat to Leavenworth second floor 37 to 26, by virtue of a cancellation with six minutes left. When the game was halted Woodruff with 16 and Gary Payne with 12 were pacing the winners while Salango and Higgins had eight for the losers.

As many games as possible are being planned with the top three teams in the end playing off in a tournament. This will be held in late February or early March.

SPRING CONCERT

The Spring Concert of the CTC Glee Club was presented Sunday, March 19, at 8:15 p.m. in the Auditorium under the direction of Robert Aborn, Assistant Professor of Music.

The diversified program included selections from Broadway musicals, folk songs, and compositions by Bach, Mozart, Brahms, Randall Thomson, and Vaughn Williams.

Soloists were Joyce McMeekin, Laura Carner, and Maedean White. Janet Walker, the Glee Club's talented accompanist, played a Mozart sonata.

The Glee Club has been honored by being invited to present a special program at the annual banquet of the Rutland Chamber of Commerce on Saturday night, March 18.

BASEBALL

ATTENTION

For all those interested in playing baseball, tryouts will begin this week behind Ellis Hall at 4:00. Coaches Boraca and Toni Tully have said that the positions are all empty and waiting for prospects. Anyone interested should attend the tryouts.

1961 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

April

- 26 Plattsburg — away
29 *North Adams — away

May

- 3 *North Adams — home
5 *Lyndon — away
6 *Johnson — home
10 Windham — away
13 Oneonta — home
16 *Fitchburg — away
17 *Johnson — away
19 Windham — home
22 *Farmington — away
23 *Gorham — away
26 *Lyndon — home
27 Plattsburg — away

The baseball team under the direction of Coaches Boraca and Tully is looking forward to a successful season this year and are in hopes of making this the first winning baseball season, with a major schedule, that Castleton has ever had. The only other time Castleton had a winning season was in a 5 game schedule. Last year the team ended with a 3-6 record for nine games.



As you can see there is an increase of 5 games over last year on the schedule, with such new opponents as Plattsburg, Oneonta, Fitchburg and Plattsburg.

Promising baseball candidates include: Pitchers—John Barth, Don Orvis, Frank Zakrewski, John Notte, and Gary Dodge.

Catchers—Jim Burgess, Erwin Nichols.

Outfielders—Jim Shaw, Pete Messina, John Witalec, George Bergin, John White, Ken Perrotte, Larry Douglas.

Infielders—Bill Wood, Chuck Memo, Skip Pietryka, Bob Ward, Ray Libuda, Joe Bioty.



Basketball Summary

A summary of the last half of the season reads as follows: Castleton rebuilds itself with the help of newcomers Ray Libuda, Skip Pietryka and Charles Memo to go from eighth place in the conference to its final standing of fourth place. This tremendous improvement on the part of the Terrymen almost got them into a playoff for the tournament but to the disappointment of all concerned they ended 1/10 of a point behind third place Plymouth.

In the last six games on the schedule the red-hot Spartans dropped only one non-conference game while winning five important conference games. The loss was to top seeded Oneonta Teachers College by the score of 80-59. The "Big Z" was the only one to reach double digits as he tossed in 14 points.

From there on it was quite a different picture as the Spartans proceeded to knock off Lyndon Teachers College, 78-69, North Adams, 77-75, Sir George Williams, 57-52, Rhode Island, 82-67, and finally Johnson Teachers College, 92-73, in that order.

Earlier in the season both Lyndon and Conference winner North Adams had easy victories over Castleton.

The individual leading scorers for the past five games were Jim Yarter and Frank Zakrewski with 16 and 15 points respectively in the Lyndon game, and the "Big Z" again against North Adams as he pumped in 25 important points, John Barth with 18 against Sir George Williams and Zakrewski again in the next two against RIC and Johnson as he scored 21 and 25 points respectively in these games.

One can easily observe in noting the scoring column why Frank Zakrewski was voted the most valuable player on the basketball team and was awarded the White Letter Award.

Congratulations are in order to Coach Terry and Assistant Coach Boraca for a fine job of rebuilding the Spartan squad and directing them into a fine 11-10 seasonal record.

SPARTANS ON THE ROAD

New Members of Spartan Squad:

- Ray Libuda, 5' 11" Ludlow, Vermont
Skip Jietryka, 6' West Rutland, Vermont
Charlie Memoe, 5' 9" Brandon, Vermont

North Adams, Dec. 10—North Adams tops the century mark while decisively trouncing the Spartans by the score of 101-72. The Massachusetts team, led by Bill McKeever, was never in trouble as they held a commanding lead all the way. Half-time found them 24 points in front of the Terrymen.

Leading Castleton was the "Big Z" with 25 points and a majority of the rebounds. However, Bill McKeever with 42 points easily made the big difference.

Castleton now stands 3 and 4 in league play.

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The Spartans of Castleton Teachers College turned back New England College, 97-71, on February 1st to snap a dramatic five game losing streak which started on January 7th when the Terrymen were defeated by New Bedford.

In the first half, the Spartans held a 20 point lead at several points but by half time New England had closed the gap to 13 points—43-30. In the last half the Spartans again held a commanding lead of thirty points until New England suddenly came alive to pull within 17 when the game came to a close.

Frank Zakrewski, Don Orvis and Jim Yarter hit for 19 points, 18 points and 13 points respectively.

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On February 1st, Plymouth Teachers College defeated the Green and White of Castleton by a score of 64-52.

Playing on their home court, Plymouth jumped to a commanding 10 lead lead in the first half which proved the difference. In the second half the Spartans pushed through 30 points but could not make up the difference they lost in the first half.

Fouling and foul shooting had a very decisive mark on the final decision as Plymouth scored 22 from the foul line to the Spartan's 8. From the floor Castleton hit for twenty-two field goals to 21 for Plymouth.

Freshman Ray Libuda was the only bright spot as he poured through 19 points throughout the game.

The loss now leaves Castleton with a 3 win and 4 loss record in the league.

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On February 4th and 5th, the Spartans accomplished a feat that hadn't been done in quite some time. They finally won all their games in a single road trip. This included a 98-73 victory over Farmington Teachers College and a 88-76 win over New England College. This could mean new hopes for the tournament if the team continues its winning ways.

Against Farmington, the Spartans easily showed their offensive power as they almost hit the century mark, 98-73. Castleton jumped in front early in the first half 54-37 and were never in trouble as they rolled to an impressive victory.

Ray Libuda, playing his second game, contributed 28 points, Frank Zakrewski and Skip Pietryka handled the rebounds while adding 16 and 12 points respectively.

The "Big Z" poured in 35 points to lead Castleton over New England College, 88-76. The Spartans were held down during the first half 39-39 but Zakrewski's second half scoring of 25 points finally opened the gap. Jim Yarter and John Barth tossed in 16 and 14 points respectively.

This win upped Castleton's overall record to 6 and 9.



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FRONTIERS IN EDUCATION

Jonathan Corbin

In a small corner room, high above the colorful current of a Manhattan Friday morning, twenty-five young men and women sat down together to form a discussion group. The snow and sleet of the preceding day had disappeared and more than one wistful glaze was directed to the warm sun beyond the windows. For the most part, complete strangers to one another as individuals, the group, however, had presented a common bond. Its members were all student delegates from eastern teacher's colleges and they had met to exchange opinions and ideas on a particular topic. This group in 542 was only one of twenty-one other such groups meeting in adjacent rooms, each of similar composition, each with a related topic; all interested in the major theme of the convention, *Frontiers in the Education of Teachers*.

Within the first few minutes after the meeting had started two noticeable things had happened; one unwelcome member, awkward silence, had left the room and in its place stepped excited interest. The topic for discussion was stated, *The Status of Teacher in Society*, and with the first question asked the charm of the sun was forgotten and eager hands were raised. Before it was possible to undertake any of the points offered for consideration pertaining to the moral and ethical responsibilities of a teacher, the extent he should play in community life or to what degree he should engage in politics, one question must first be answered. What is a teacher?

"The teacher must be a guide," was offered, "and as a guide must be willing to accept the responsibility that such a position entails." A leader then? No, not so much of a leader as an instructor; one who through the giving and sharing of knowledge points the way, encour-

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EASTERN STATES REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. Hazel Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Hale, Bobbi Dolan, Helena Ruby, Sam Carrara, and Steve Squeglia.

Summaries of Group Conferences

The final group reports of the Thirty-sixth Annual Conference of the Eastern States Association of Professional Schools for Teachers have been summarized to emphasize their highlights in the following pages. The theme was *Frontiers in the Education of Teachers*.

Topic I Teachers Preparation in Multi-Purpose Colleges

A multi-purpose college is a college which offers various curricula leading to degrees in addition to an education degree. For various reasons, especially the large number of young people seeking education at state expense, single-purpose colleges seem to be inadequate for teacher education. While the uni-purpose college, although broad in its scope still has only the teacher viewpoint, the multi-purpose college will broaden the prospective teacher's horizon to a far greater degree through its broad concept of life, enlarged facilities, including physical facilities, courses, faculties, and revaluation of methods of professional presentation. A person with the broad background which a multi-purpose college provides also has more prestige than a graduate of a teacher's college. "Educated and trained" teachers require both liberal arts and professional courses. It is possible to achieve a suitable ratio between the two by avoiding and eliminating unnecessary repetition.

Topic II New Implements in Teaching

Among the new developments in audio-visual aids are television, the tachistoscope, the tape recorder and the typewriter. Television is valuable on all levels if adapted to the particular level and used strictly as a supplement. To be effective it requires proper preparation, scheduling, motivation, adaptation to students' needs and effective follow-up. The tachistoscope is valuable as a leading aid both for speed and comprehension, but should be used on an individual basis. The tape recorder is very effective in teaching languages and in correction of speech difficulties. The typewriter, while limited in its value in the lower grades, is most helpful in secondary and college work.

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Dr. Dundas Comments On C.T.C.'s Future

Pictured above is Castleton Teachers College as it is hoped it will be at the start of the 1970-71 school year. This college and campus will be ready to accommodate 1,000 students by this time.

There are many proposed advantages for Castleton currently being discussed by the state legislature at Montpelier in this session.

Perhaps the most important matter currently being discussed is the bill presented by Representative Ernest W. Gibson, III. This bill proposes a new men's dorm and large dining hall for Castleton while at the same time it provides the necessary means for Johnson Teachers College to acquire a new and larger gymnasium.

Another bill that Castleton would like to see passed is the bill dealing with a new state pay plan. This bill would not only benefit all state employees but under this would come all college personnel as they are employed by the state. This new plan would increase the pay and all fringe benefits for all state employees.

An appropriations bill is also now being considered. This bill deals with the financial support that the college will be getting in the next two years. President Dundas hopes that the committee will give him an adequate budget for the operation of the college to deal with the increased enrollment. Here at Castleton it is noted that the students pay more than half of the operating expenses.

If authorized by the legislature by September of 1963 there will be 8 new teachers here to cope with the increased enrollment. It is planned so that five new teachers will be on the staff in September of 1962 with three more coming in 1963. This depends on the financial situation of course. This year there are presently registered 376 students. Within a short while the enrollment will be jumped to 460. This emphasizes

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Dr. Dundas plans future of Castleton

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the need for the increased amount of qualified professors who are needed.

Another plan that would not only benefit Castleton but the State of Vermont, the United States and the world is the plan that a Junior College of Nursing would be started here. This is a plan proposed by a group of representatives throughout the state. This plan if passed would start in September of 1962 calling for 30 students to be enrolled in a nursing course. Throughout the country there are about 55 programs of this type taking place at various colleges and universities. This plan is presently taking the place of the 3 year hospital program.

Castleton is now only a College of the present, but with the cooperation of the state legislature, it will be one of the better colleges of the future not only in the State of Vermont but the East as well.

Doctor Hsieh Talks At Assembly

On April 12, 1961 in Woodruff Auditorium, Dr. Hsieh met about 200 Castleton faculty and students at the first assembly of the second semester.

Dr. Hsieh, an interpreter, author and diplomat spoke of Red China and Free China, and indicated their relationships on the world today. He brought out our most important conflicts in the world today: truth vs. half-truth, true peace vs. false peace, and finally coalition against independence.

Dr. Hsieh then answered questions from the floor for over 30 minutes in his effective and keen witted manner which drew a large response from the appreciative audience.

FRONTIERS IN EDUCATION

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ages progress, one who builds today with the knowledge of the past and the present with an eye to the future, himself a learner as much as those whom he teaches.

But isn't then a teacher a little more than human, where does the person stop and the teacher begin? Does not each individual teacher have his own personal life to lead? Should his moral life be used as judgment against him if he is an adequate teacher?

The group in 542 felt that, with moderation, a teacher should be allowed to live his own life; as long as it did not interfere with his teaching. Times have changed, and the teacher was no longer held in the confines of convention with which he had once been restricted. A true teacher must not only teach the tools of learning but also how to apply those tools to life and living, and if he himself lives a narrow life or is confined by too rigid convention his teaching will reflect that confinement.

The scope of a teacher must be wide, he must have an awareness not only of the student with whom he works but also of the background of that student, if only as an assist to guide that student more effectively. The role of the parent and the teacher, particularly during the elementary grades, was felt to be a close one. There should be, must be, an understanding by the parent of the teacher and his problems, as well as an understanding by the teacher of the relationship of the parent and the child and its effect upon the child as a student. In some cases Parent-Teacher Associations were cited both as a good and as an ill—but the end was the important thing, regardless of the means, the encouragement of the learning in a child through the understanding of both parent and teacher.

There was a divided feeling in the group when the degree to which a teacher should engage in politics was questioned. Teaching is, or should be, a full time job. The teacher must himself be continually learning and growing, and this requires time. So does active participation in politics. Here again came the question of the personal side of the teacher, must one who is a teacher be nothing but a teacher? There were those who felt that being a sincere teacher left little time for much else, while others protested that this smacked too much of dedication. There should be a middle path. Of course there were the idealists; but how many, it was wondered, were there in the profession today, in room 542 for that matter? Did not politics

'Extremist' Bloc Of Catholics Hit On School Aid

N.Y. Herald Tribune, March 25, 1961

Mrs. Agnes E. Meyer, author and lecturer, charged yesterday that "extremists" in the Catholic hierarchy "are determined to sabotage Federal aid to education unless they get support in some form for their parochial schools."

Mrs. Meyer told a teachers' group meeting at the New Yorker that the "battle between the Catholic hierarchy and a Catholic President who believes in the separation of Church and State" is a "serious" situation. She urged support of President Kennedy and his \$2,300,000 education bill for elementary and secondary public schools, which makes no provision for private or parochial schools.

Mrs. Meyer, widow of Eugene Meyer, Washington publisher, addressed a conference of the Eastern States Association for Teachers.

Citing what she called "the danger of clericalism to democracy" and the "immoral" position of "Catholic prelates" on the school issue, Mrs. Meyer opposed any loans to Catholic parochial schools as unconstitutional. "Such loans to private schools would also be impossible to administer," she said. "Imagine the rivalries, the hatred between religious groups that would be stirred up as each group fought the other for the lions share."

always carry a shade of the unethical about them, could a teacher advance honesty and straightforwardness in the classroom while it was known that he practiced questionable political ethics outside? Perhaps the only answer lay in what was the most important to the individual, being a teacher or being a politician.

It was not the purpose of the group in 542 to arrive at any definite answers, it was the purpose of the group to stimulate thought and ideas. These young men and women are to be the teachers of tomorrow and their ideas of today would be influences on that tomorrow. No matter how they disagreed, or where they disagreed, they were in unanimous agreement in the great responsibility that lay before them as teachers, that the society with which they were interested now had come about as a result of the teachers who had gone before them and that the society of the future would bear the mark of themselves. Each delegate from each group fully recognized what Dr. Carl F. Hansen, Superintendent of Schools, Washington, D. C., was referring to in his speech at the close of the convention when he said, "a teacher must be a searcher for the truth."

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President Kennedy and Many State Officials Respond By Mail to Eastern States Conference

Dr. Edward E. Redcay, Chairman of the Eastern States Resolutions Committee received letters from eight governors of the states represented at the conference as well as John F. Kennedy, President of the United States; Aheral Ribicoff, Sec. of Health, Education, and Welfare and governors of the following states.

Pennsylvania, Daniel L. Lawrence
Maryland, John H. Notte, Jr.
New Jersey, Robert B. Maynerd
Maine, John H. Reed
Massachusetts, John H. Volpe
Connecticut, Aheral Ribicoff
Vermont, F. Ray Keyser, Jr.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Dean Redcay:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of Feb. 3rd, requesting comments from me for possible use at the coming Thirty-Sixth Eastern States Association of Professional Schools for Teachers meeting in New York City. It has been most accurately said and experience confirms that the public school teacher plays a leading role in the character as well as educational development of their pupils. The relationship and experiences of children in these more important formative years are never forgotten by them and show up during their adult life.

One of the most important things is to give our prospective teachers the opportunity for training to prepare them for the awe-inspiring responsibilities of their profession.

May I extend my wishes that yours will be a very Thirty-Sixth annual meeting.

Sincerely
F. Ray Keyser, Jr.
Governor

S.V.E.A.

On April 19, the Student Education Association had as its speaker Miss Bernice McKee.

Miss McKee is one of the state helping teachers. She spoke on "Supervision in the Classroom." This was of particular interest to the Seniors and Juniors as they have or will be coming in contact with their state helping teachers. It was an excellent opportunity to find out how they supervise and what they look for when they come to visit you. Freshmen and Sophomores also found this interesting.

PRES. KENNEDY EXPRESSES ENTHUSIASM

Edward E. Redcay:

I am pleased to extend greetings on the occasion of the Thirty-Sixth Annual Conference of the Eastern States Association of Professional Schools for Teachers.

Our schools are training grounds in which each new generation sifts the knowledge of the past, analyzes the conditions and theories of the present, and develops powers of critical thinking and decision making of the future.

In these educational frontiers between what is known and understood and what is unknown and to be discovered, the teacher stands as a guide and mentor to responsible citizens of tomorrow.

Just as the teacher is in a key position to assist students in their search for truth and in their use of what they learn, so professional schools for teachers are in a position of even greater responsibility in shaping the future through the knowledge, wisdom, and inspiration that they can impart through their own "students" to each rise in generation.

John F. Kennedy
President
United States of America

S. A. Elections

Elections for the Student Association and its related organizations are once again in the near future. The rules governing these elections prove that responsible student leadership has tried to remove all elements of a popularity contest in order to try to secure the best possible candidates.

It is now the task of the student body to follow through (1) by encouraging the best qualified candidates to make themselves available for nomination and (2) by electing such candidates once nominated.

Any form of government or organized activity is only as strong as those responsible for their maintenance with them to be. As members of an accredited college, the CTC student body is faced with the task of selecting its leaders more carefully than ever before in order to maintain and further the superior quality of performance required by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

Editorial:

At last Spring has come to the campus of C.T.C., and although the cutting of classes to spend a day swimming or sun bathing has not started yet, it soon will. Some may laugh at this statement and say that cutting is no greater in the Spring than it is in the Fall, but this is definitely not so. As the weather gets warmer we are all anxious to get outside and enjoy it, especially if we aren't enthusiastic skiers during the winter.

During the fall we do not cut as much because it is the beginning of a new year and we have just had three months vacation. Now, how many of us realize what cutting classes at the end of the year can do to us? If we are seniors and cut thereby dropping our marks in some of our courses, we should think twice. Most people who are hiring us and require a transcript of our marks will not only be looking for good marks throughout our four years of college, but also for an improvement during the time and not a slacking off. Also, when asking for a recommendation on a student who has not been in class very often, a professor will quite often remember that and comment on it.

As juniors we must also be careful about cutting as we are usually student teaching at this time and are, at least to a degree, leaving an impression on our cooperating teacher and our pupils. As this is the separation of the sheep from the lambs as far as the teaching career, beware!

Freshmen and sophomores are not looking for a teaching position the following fall nor are they really getting separated or screened at this point as far as a teaching career is concerned. How will cutting classes in the spring affect them? Once more, the slacking off at the end of the year is a point of importance because it shows inconsistency. Also, if a pupil's marks are low the first two years of college, they are going to have a difficult time raising them to graduation level in the last two years. For these reasons it is time for all of us to analyze ourselves before we start cutting classes this spring.



Commuter Personality Frank Zakrewski

Frank Zakrewski, a member of the Varsity "C" club, was voted the "White Letter Award" for the sports year of 1961. This award is given each year to the athlete, who in the estimation of his teammates, has contributed the most to his sport and his team.

Fran, as he is called by his friends graduated from West Rutland High School in 1958. While in this school Fran participated in many extra curricular activities and was very active in sports. Among the extra curricular activities that Fran has listed to his credit are school plays, glee club, and sophomore class president. In sports he was outstanding in basketball.

After graduating from high school Fran decided to go into the field of education and in the same year he was admitted to Castleton Teachers College. In his freshman and sophomore years in C.T.C. most of his time was taken up by a part time job in his home town of West Rutland. This year, however, Fran decided to lend to the Spartan basketball team that spark of fine playing which he displayed in high school. He has truly proven his fine ability in this sport and the proof of which ability has been seen in the sports section of this paper.

Fran's opinion of Castleton is brief but complimentary: "It's the best school I could ever attend."

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While teaching machines make experiences concrete and realistic and help meet individual differences, as well as encourage rote learning, they should be used for facts, as the teacher is needed for the theories.

Subject specialists are very helpful to both teacher and pupil in the elementary classroom when they work closely with the classroom teacher, although too much of this type of aid might create a tendency towards laziness in the regular teacher.

Team teaching has various uses. In some instances a master teacher gives a talk or lecture and then the large group is broken up into smaller groups with teachers to lead discussion; in others all teachers of one grade teach those of various groupings; and in situations where there are three or four teachers teach the course together.

Field trips to be valuable must be meaningful. The students must be well prepared and a suitable follow-up must take place. It should be borne in mind that field trips cannot take place in all school systems due to socio-economic conditions and "red tape."

The various foundation projects make important contributions through grants to teachers for study which benefit the whole school system. In many instances they make available very helpful materials, although some of them may be colored. The United States Government is a very good source of materials.

Parents do have a place in the classroom not as an evaluator or "foreman," but as a factor that will help the teacher understand each child's behavior, although they should not be directly affiliated with classroom procedure. A good orientation program for parents is invaluable.

Topic III Teacher Preparation for the Exceptional Child

The term exceptional child is used to designate both the gifted and the retarded child. The group felt that the general conclusions that they reached would apply to both groups.

An exceptional child may be recognized by tests, by professional services such as those rendered by a nurse or psychologist, by a teacher's observation and by objective parental observation.

An exceptional child, unless unusual conditions warrant, is better off in an elementary school where homogeneous grouping should be flexible enough to permit mobility of groups, preferably in one classroom. Parents should have aid in understanding how to best guide and handle such children. Middle class parents are the easiest to reach through P.T.A., Parent-Teacher conferences, school plays and written report cards.

Topic IV The Role of the Federal Government in Teacher Education

The role of the Federal Government in education is so controversial that conclusions on all points were not drawn. However, the following statements were recommended for consideration:

1. Whereas, the first question was stated as saying: Is Federal aid necessary for upgrading the teaching profession, we have reworded it to say that Federal aid could *contribute* to the upgrading of the teaching profession.
2. Federal aid should be used according to the *individual* states' needs as determined by educational agencies at the federal and state levels.
3. The Federal Government should not dictate subjects to be taught.
4. There should be a plan whereby Federal aid to education is made subordinate to state aid.
5. Democratic processes may change if Federal aid is granted, but we do not feel that we are able to predict.
6. Whereas, Question 8 asks: Is education of all people the business of the Federal Government, we say that the education of all the people *should be the concern* of the Federal Government, because the survival of a country depends upon the *degree* of education of its people.

Topic V Contribution of Student Activities in Teacher Education

Student participation in student activities helps the prospective teacher both academically and socially, especially the students' role in organizations. Since a person teaches what he or she is, a person should be well rounded, associations with other people help make a good personality and teach co-operation. Activities encourage the exchange of ideas and help one to accept the opinions of others and to learn to compromise. All student activities are of value, according to the students' participation in the given activity. A student should devote as much time to activities as will not interfere with academic pursuits, yet enough to be effective in the organizations.

The students should play a definite role in the administration plans and decisions affecting the students. Some colleges have found it beneficial to form a student committee to act as mediator between the administration and the students with the guarantee from the administration that

there will be no persona replerussions to the committee members. Other colleges provide student representation on certain administration committees.

Fraternities are beneficial in teacher education if there is no discrimination, depending on size and setup of the college and depending on leadership within the fraternity and sorority, because group participation, service and administrative work aid in developing college spirit and social graces.

Honorary fraternities and sororities are beneficial because there is less conflict of feeling because of professional importance and because they also foster service and cultural programs.

Community and students must work together for good citizenship, application of teaching experience, publicity for the college and as part of the general educational program of both. Opportunity for this is found in college service organizations, political participation, cultural events and recreational activities.

Topic VI Trends in Curricula

The general trends in curricula for the education of teachers are toward more liberal arts or general education courses, a re-evaluation of methods courses to eliminate repetition, adapt techniques to specific subject area fields, opportunity for more practical experience, five year programs, college experimentation and evaluation within its own program and increasing demands for more thorough teacher preparation.

Current trends in the elementary school curriculum emphasize greater use of unit teaching, more departmentalization in larger schools, team teaching, consolidation in smaller schools, the "new" mathematics program with increased emphasis on visual aids, study of languages stressing the contemporary, and understanding of mass media—language training, how to discern, how to think for one's self.

Some of the means used to adapt the current secondary curricula to the needs created by scientific advancements are team teaching, integration of subjects, closed-circuit television, ability grouping, enriched science program, longer school days and school year, increased emphasis on fine arts, more effective guidance programs, making general education courses available for non-college students.

Much more emphasis should be given to the fine arts in the junior and senior high schools as well as in the grades because an appreciation of them creates a much more intelligent approach to life as well as a motivation for many students who might not otherwise be reached.

Controversial issues should be taught in the classroom. *Communism* should be presented much as the course dealing with United States history, geography and government in a factual, impartial manner. *Religion* should be presented in such a way that the student will gain a basic understanding and awareness of the various world religions. *Politics* present no class problems as long as the teacher is not biased, but should be presented on the elementary level as government. Sex education should be taught by parent and teacher cooperatively using a study of animals with increasing integration as the pupil advances in school.

More specific means can be employed to develop better citizenship by using sources outside the classroom such as mass media, the study and understanding of community helpers, extra-curricular activities in the community and the various types of essay contests.

The seemingly popular necessity of a high school diploma or a college degree for everyone is not lowering academic standards for as more students apply there is more selectivity. In the future it is not at all improbable that college diplomas may be replaced by cumulative records.

Topic VII Status of the Teacher in Society

Every teacher has a moral and ethical responsibility to himself or herself, to his or her immediate family, to teaching in a community and to the nation. A teacher's responsibility to each child is to try to develop him to his fullest potential by providing equal opportunities for all individual differences, as it is the teacher who sets the standards for discrimination that they will use in later life. To attempt to do this successfully, the teacher must prepare himself academically and psychologically to the best of his or her ability.

The attitude of the public toward the teacher is changing as society is changing from rural to urban with a relaxation of moral attitudes. The public realizes today that teachers have a right to be individuals and to fight for their own way of life as such. The Sputnik Age marks a trend toward a rising prestige for teachers.

Teachers have the right to take part in politics and to hold elective offices, although local circumstances may govern the length or extent that they may take part in controversial issues.

Teachers should live in the communities in which they teach and take part in community activities. A teacher's religious conformities are personal and should not be infringed upon. A teacher is in public relations and should strive to maintain good relations with parents and citizens.



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MAJOR OFFICERS ELECTED

Another year of elections for the six major offices has come to a close. From a spectator's point of view there did not seem to be much enthusiasm, but as was noted in the past, there were enough "grandstand" politicians to keep the electoral ball rolling.

Congratulations are in order for those who ran, and a pat on the back for those who won, for it is certain that they will do a fine job next year.

For the information of those who voted (the elections had to be extended an extra day because not enough voted) and the curiosity of those who did not; the six new major officers are:

Alex Blastos, *S.A. President*
Dick Hayden, *Student Court Judge*
Skip Pietryka, *A.A. President*
Sheila Kehoe, *Publicity Chairman*
Pat Boucher, *Records Chairman*
Pat Picchi, *Social Recreation Chairman*

The recent decision of the Senate to lower the standards governing candidates running for major offices (a 2.00 cumulative index) for next year. With the most profound optimism we will look forward to a less limited field of candidates for the following academic year.

Remember "the Student Association will progress forward only as far as their guiding light will shine."

Bela Boszormenyi-Nagy To Perform at Castleton

On Friday evening, May 19, the distinguished pianist, Dr. Bela Boszormenyi-Nagy presented a recital in the College Auditorium.

A graduate of the Franz Liszt Academy in Budapest, Dr. Nagy is a three times winner of that country's highest pianistic award, the Franz Liszt Prize. He has concertized extensively in Europe, Canada, and the United States, and is acclaimed as a performer of the first rank and a musician of wide accomplishment. From 1948-1953 he taught at the Royal Conservatory in Toronto, Canada. He then came to Indiana University where he is now Professor of Piano.

Dr. Nagy came to Castleton in a dual capacity, for during the day he conducted a piano workshop to which teachers of piano throughout the State were invited.

HIGH SCHOOL DAY

High School Day, the day when prospective Freshmen now in high school visit the CTC campus, will be held on Friday, May 19. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. in Leavenworth Hall, followed by guided tours of the campus. The morning program will conclude with talks by Dr. Dundas and Dean Black on college life (financial, scholastic and social aspects) in Woodruff Auditorium.

After lunch there will be small informal gatherings headed by the college students to discuss college life from the student point of view and to answer any questions that the visitors may have. A brief entertainment and refreshments will bring the day to a close, in time for the baseball fans to attend the CTC-Windham College game at four o'clock. Rose Giroux and Andra Vit- enbergs head the SNEA committees for the day.

In the past, High School Day was High School Weekend when the high schoolers had an opportunity to really see what college was all about, meals, classes, social life and dorm life. The increased enrollment with shortage of space in beds and dining room have reduced it to one day, but at least the prospective "frosh" have an opportunity to see the college in action.

GLEE CLUB NEWS

On Wednesday evening, May 3, the Castleton College Glee Cug presented a concert for the Rutland Chamber of Commerce. The selections, most of which were sung a capella were as follows:

Three Elizabethan Part Songs
Vaughn Williams

1. Sweet Day
2. The Wallow Song
3. O Mistress Mine
Climb Ev'ry Mountain

Rogers and Hammerstein
(The Sound of Music)

Maedean White, *Soprano*
The Hunter *Brahms*
Alleluia *Randall Thomson*
I Know Where I'm Goin'

Irish Folk Song
Come, Let Us All A-Maying Go

Handel
Somewhere *Leonard Bernstein*
(West Side Story)

They Call the Wind Maria
Lerner and Loewe
(Paint Your Wagon)
Janet Walker, *Accompanist*



OUR TOWN

On Thursday evening, April twentieth, at eight o'clock the Castleton Players presented Thornton Wilder's play "Our Town." The play was well received by a uarge number of faculty members, students and friends.

The play which was presented with little scenery, little furniture and few properties required the constant imaginative participation of the audience. "Our Town" is a simple story which takes place in Grover's Corners, New Hampshire. Primarily, a small New England town is portrayed, but the instincts and habits rule most people throughout the world. The play thrives on emotional tension.

Heading the cast of characters was John Laskevich as the stage manager, Jonathon Corbin as Dr. Gibbs, Pat Steeves as Mrs. Gibbs, Tom Ranney as George Gibbs, Carollee Carroll as Mrs. Webb, Al Blastos as Mr. Webb and Kathryn Thurston as Emily Webb.

Other members of the cast were David Murray, Frank Heald, Jean Dixon, Richard Dundas, Jr., Roger Clarino, Lorna Smith, Sally Briscoe, Cynthia Smith, Jerry Lentine, Christine Bromley, Bonnie Thorburn, Ellen Boutwell, Elaine Cooper, and Pat Boucher.

Organist for the evening was Eunice De Barge. The play was directed by Saul Elkin.

Congratulations to all the members of the cast and to Saul Elkin for such a fine performance.

Here are some comments gathered from students who attended the play.

"My congratulations go to Mr. Elkin and the C.T.C. Drama Club for a wonderful performance of 'Our Town.'"

Roberta Less

"To me the play was very outstanding because it displayed life typically and made everyone realize the real meaning of life."

Roberta Brown

"In the three years that I've been here this is by far the best play that Castleton has put on."

George W. Bergin

"Kathi Thurston's charm gave the play the excellence Thornton Wilder intended."

Michael Gavin

"Congratulations to the Castleton Players in the play, 'Our Town' written by Thornton Wilder. From Jonathan's part to Mr. Elkin's each player put into his part his all."

Dick Singleton

"All the students did a wonderful job in the play. Kathi Thurston and Pat Steeves were especially authentic in their roles."

Mary Eisbrenner

Editorial:

HONOR — Editorial

Patricia Rousseau

Is it true that one bad apple spoils the bunch? Perhaps not, but it certainly can leave a bad taste in the mouth when one has just taken a generous bite from a rotten one. The other apples nearby are not apt to look appealing.

The same thing applies to students. Dishonor in a few creates doubt about the many. It seems strange that students training to be teachers could deliberately be dishonest. How can you set a bad example and expect good results? How do you say to a seven-year-old child who has taken an eraser from another child's desk when you are guilty of taking money from a fellow student's suitcase?

Dishonor doesn't pertain to just pilfering. When you take from yourself, you are performing one of the most incredible acts of dishonesty. I am referring to test-taking, now. It seems to me that cheating has become one of the most serious offenses committed on the campus. I'm sure we are all aware that the instructors have found it necessary to separate students as much as possible during testing to avoid making it easy to glance at one another's papers. During one test, all were required to write on the back of the paper that he, or she, had neither given nor received aid. It's unbelievable that college calibre people, especially those training to become teachers, could justify to themselves the taking of tangibles either in the form of money or answers. An old proverb that seems appropriate here is, "Practice what you preach."

SHADES OF THE PAST

by Roberta Less

'Tis time to bid a fond farewell
To memories I'll love to tell
My children in the future years
When even shadows haven't dimmed
Graduation and my tears
Of lessons learned.

That piercing bell
Again robke my slumbers and the spell
Of thinking there was time to spare
In combing once again, my hair.

Chapel was a daily start
To help us one and all impart
The best within and the best without
To erase all hatred, fear and doubt.

A sunny smile, a cherry greeting
She offers us when meeting
Her lovely eyes and fragile face,
Soft rippling laughter, just a trace,
A treasure chest of charm and wisdom.
Queen indeed of a happiness kingdom.

The prom was like a dream come true,
A snowman and a real sleigh too;
Girls in blue, red, pink, and yellow
Serenade to music mellow.

Memories linger and make me glad
Even though they're sometimes sad,
The friends we made no longer near,
No longer children, cherished dear,
Darkness falls upon the light
Of school-girl bliss, and youth's delight
As white clad figures, youth like Bess
Walk out upon the path that's paved
With loving wishes for success.



CONGRATULATIONS, JOHN

Recently, John Pelletier, a member of the College Maintenance Staff since 1956, was appointed Supervisor of the Maintenance Department. John, as he is usually called, is already well known to the CTC students for his invaluable aid in lending a hand in their activities especially where carpentering is involved.

Born in Canada, John moved with his family at an early age to Windsor, Vermont, where he grew up. He became a resident of Castleton when his father purchased the former Toth farm on the East Hubbardton Road in 1941. With the entrance of the United States into World War II John enlisted in the army where he became a corporal.

After the war John went into construction work and served as a construction foreman throughout Vermont, New Hampshire and New York.

Last fall he purchased a home in Hydeville where he now resides with his wife, the former Doris Brown, and four children, Susan, John, Jr., Anthony and Michael.

"Let's Get to Work"

by Peg Heald

It is Spring in Castleton and our return from Easter vacation brings us new problems and goals. We have obtained our mid-semester grades and are face-to-face with the evidence of our accomplishments. Now we know where our efforts must be concentrated.

These marks are not meant to discourage or to encourage. They are merely an indication of what we are doing and of what we must do to improve our standings.

The goal of every student on campus should be to do better. At times this seems difficult when the weather is balmy and we are faced with the decision of whether to study or to be out-side in the sun.

Spring brings with it many temptations and it is hard to concentrate on books when fun beckons. Yet, we all have reasons for being in college and we must work to achieve our grades. There are sacrifices to be made, but the accomplishments of standings as high as we can make them, should be our reward.

Some of us are inclined to think that because we have good grades now, there is no need to work any harder to improve. This feeling should not be allowed to continue as there is no such thing as perfect work and "good enough" grades are not to be our goal. We should aim for the best grades possible and settle for nothing less — simply in order to have fun.

The reverse of this feeling is equally as bad. The defeatist attitude that because we get poor grades now, there is no chance to improve, and that we have done our best and can do no better, could be our downfall.

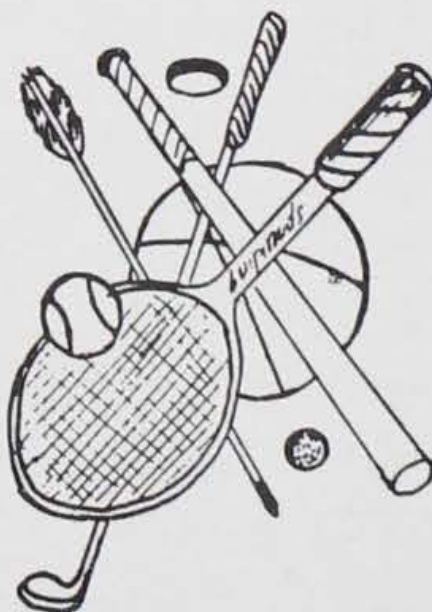
The fact that any of your grades were poor should stir you into more effort and harder work. There is no course in which your grade could not be better, and your teachers are not purposely being hard. They will give you the grades you deserve and if you try they will be delighted to give you a better grade. There are always rewards for better work; none should ever forget that.

If it seems hard for you to study when the sun is shining, an easy solution is to take your books outside to study.

There doesn't seem to be much reason for relaxing now, so let's all work hard and make these last weeks of school the time of greatest accomplishment.

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Commuter Personality

MARIE GOODWIN

Pretty, vivacious, intelligent, and personable are just some of the fine characteristics of Marie Goodwin, our commuter personality, for this month.

Marie entered C.T.C. in 1959 and has been proving herself an asset to the college. In the two years she has been here some of her more outstanding accomplishments are Eastern States delegate, Spartan reporter, Dean's List, J.V. and Varsity Cheerleader and is Secretary for her class this current year.

These achievements are nothing new to Marie for she was also very active while in High School. She attended Fair Haven High School where she was editor of the school paper and the yearbook "The Slate." She was student council president, a class officer for four years, National Honor Society and Class Validictorian.

ACROSS THE CAMPUS

On Wednesday, April 19, 1961, the Juniors in the Rutland School District joined their cooperating teachers for a tea at the Rutland Free Library. Coffee and cookies were served and a very pleasant time was had by all.

The Commencement Ball sponsored by the Class of 1962 will be held May 20, 1961. No definite plans are, as yet, forthcoming, but humor has it that the Juniors have something very special in the making.

On April 13, the girls from Leavenworth Hall took a trip to Middlebury where they had a delicious steak dinner at Dog Team Tavern. The guests of honor, Dean Black and Mrs. Clary, were presented corsages by Elvira Bellmo, President of Leavenworth Hall. Everyone had a wonderful time, and it is hoped that this will become a yearly event for the dorm.

Spartan Sparklers

by Jeanne Longley

The time has come once again for the Juniors to travel to their respective schools and get their first actual experience in the "Teaching Profession." Each Junior student teacher becomes very familiar with the methods used in teaching; along with having the responsibility of the class. Within these weeks of student teaching, many comments are passed by the Juniors. Listed below are a few of these comments on their "student teaching."

"Tish" Maslack: "Student teaching is more than just method courses, lesson plans, and teacher's guides. Along with this goes tested patience, overworked nerves, tired feet, plus PTA meetings, sessions after and before school, late nights and a few headaches. It's fun, educational and I enjoy every minute of it and feel it is well worth while."

Al Blastos: "I never expected 'Student Teaching' would be as enjoyable as it is. The way the 'profs' at school told us, I expected to find a really tough job ahead of me. You work hard, but you still get plenty of pleasure from it. Once the children realize what you're there for, everything works out fine, but up to then all 'hell' lets loose. All kidding aside, student teaching is a very pleasurable experience."

Judy Yoxheimer: "Student teaching is a lot of work and very tiring, but the rewards make the effort worthwhile. It is a wonderful experience and well worth the time you must put into it."

"Ed" Silaika: "The only way to be successful in 'Student Teaching' is through one's own efforts, and to look at yourself and work with scrutiny. All I can say about your first day when you have twenty-four pairs of eyes looking at you is WOW!"

Mary Jane Madigan: "As far as I'm concerned Student Teaching is one of the most worthwhile seven weeks of college. It's far from being a breeze, you must work hard and long, but the rewards make it pleasurable. The experience gained from being in an actual classroom situation, putting to practice the methods and techniques learned during the past year is 'priceless. ME? — I LOVE IT!'"

"Patti" Keedy: "We here at Castleton are privileged to have such an extended student teaching program. With the actual classroom experience and participation in comparison with student teaching programs at other colleges. Our student teaching is of great value to us, for there are many different situations in which one has to cope with that one doesn't realize beforehand. Through the actual ex-



Vermont Symphony Performs at Castleton

The grand finals to the Rutland Community Concert Series took place in the college auditorium-gymnasium on Monday evening, April 24th. The students and faculty of Castleton Teachers College, as well as the townspeople of Rutland and the surrounding areas, attended the excellent concert given by the Vermont Symphony Orchestra, directed by Alan Carter of Middlebury.

The program began with a Bach choral, "Come Sweet Death," arranged for orchestra by Leopold Stokowski. During the first part of the evening the "Brahms Concerto for Violin, Cello and Orchestra, Opus 102 in A Minor" was also heard. The soloists for the "Brahms Concerto" were Virginia deBlasiis, violin; and George Finckel, violincello.

The second half of the program was contrasted by a performance of Ravel's "Pavane for a Dead Child." Although this was a short selection, it inspired and captivated the audience. The concert concluded with Anton Dvorak's "Symphony No. 5 in E Minor." Many listeners recognized the familiar theme "Goin' Home" from the "New World." The melancholy and abandonment of both the negro and composer were potently expressed in this work.

Everyone enjoyed the concert, and those of us at Castleton are certainly proud that we were able to be the hosts of the Vermont Symphony Orchestra and the Rutland Community Concert Association.

Through the experience of working with children we gain much insight in the profession through which we gain self-confidence. Student teaching is a satisfying experience as well as a gratifying one."

SHIPWRECK WEEKEND

Spring must really be here! The Varsity C. Club has planned its second annual Shipwreck Weekend for May fifth and sixth.

Weekend festivities will start Friday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. when the Spartan baseball team will play Johnson. The game will be played at West Rutland. That night the fun and frolicking will continue with swimming at the Green Mountain swimming pool. The bus will provide transportation for all, and will leave for Green Mountain at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 6, is the big date of the weekend. Saturday afternoon there will be games followed by a picnic style supper at the new state park on Lake Bomoseen. Small trophies will be awarded to the winners of the game. The two buses will provide transportation to the park and will leave at 1:00 p.m.



The weekend will come to a close Saturday night with a dance and a pizza party at the Castleton Corners Grange Hall.

A wonderful time is guaranteed to all, so let's come one come all to the Shipwreck Weekend.

BASEBALL - TRACK NEWS

LYNDON IN TRACK WIN

CASTLETON JUST MISSES WHEN CLOSING BID FALLS SHORT IN LAST EVENT

A great closing bid by Castleton State College went for naught Friday afternoon when Paul Wascalevich's 148-foot javelin throw was not allowed and Lyndon grabbed a 66½ to 64½ victory in a dual track meet at the Rutland High School field.

Earlier Castleton had trailed by as much as 15 points, 61½ to 46½, but the Spartans came back to sweep the broad jump and to win the 2/5 mile relay sprint.

Wascalevich threw the spear further than Butch Heath of Lyndon who won the event with a toss of 144 feet but Paul's hand went over the line on his attempt and brought disqualification. He finished third behind Castleton teammate, John Barth.

Heath led the individual scoring with 18 points and Barth was runner-up with 11½ points.

A first place in the javelin would have won the meet for Castleton. **Summaries:**

Mile—Peters, Lyndon; Memo, Castleton; Magwire, Lyndon; time—5:27.5. 440-yard run—Simpson, Lyndon; Winch, Lyndon, Carrara, Castleton; time—57.9. 100-yard dash—Heath, Lyndon; Harvey, Castleton; Hastings, Castleton; time—10.2.

High hurdles—Gillman, Lyndon; Barsalow, Castleton; Delorenzo, Castleton; time—14.6. High jump—(tie) Yarter and Barsalow, Castleton; (tie) Mackie, Lyndon and Barth, Castleton; distance—5' 2½". 880-yard run—Peters, Lyndon; Coolidge, Castleton; Magwire; time—2:27.4. Shotput—Gee, Lyndon; Heath, Lyndon; Notte, Castleton; distance—49' ½".

220-yard dash—Heath, Lyndon; Harvey, Sabo, Castleton; time—24:0. Low hurdles—Gilman, Lyndon; Hastings, Castleton; Delorenzo; time—25.2. Pole vault—Barth, Castleton; (tie) Ebbighausen, Castleton, and Simpson, Lyndon; distance—9' 6".

Discus—Gee; Buzzi, Lyndon; Yarter, Castleton; distance—137' 10". Two-mile run—Memo; Peters; Sargeant, Castleton; time—12:45.9. Broad jump—Barsalow; Barth; Delorenzo; distance—18' 6". Relay—Castleton, Lyndon; time—1:21. Javelin—Heath; Barth; Wascalevich; distance—144'.

TRACK NEWS

by Dick Singleton

Coach Terry's cinder men opened their season the 21st of April with a practice meet against Rutland followed by a duel meet against Lyndon the 28th of April and then will travel to the New England State Athletic Conference Meet at Bridgewater, Mass., May 18.

The Spartans are led by Wayne Harvey of Brattleboro, Vermont, who, last year, was second to Ollie Dunlap in the 220 yard dash at the Vermont State High School Meet. He was the leading scorer for the Brattleboro speedsters. Wayne also holds the school record for Brattleboro. Other sprinters on the Castleton roster are: John Sabo of Whitehall and Cal Hastings of Rutland.

The distance runners are led by Sam Carrara in the middle distance from Pittsford. Long distance runners are: Larry Douglas of Schenectady, N.Y.; Fletcher Cooldige of Brandon and Tom Sargeant of Burlington, along with Charlie Memo of Brandon carry the Sparts hopes in the distance events.

Dan Ebbinhausen of Brattleboro is the team's pole vaulter and pumper, while Roger Woodruff of Poultney and Ernie Meuser of Fair Haven are the weight men.

Rounding out the team are two hurdle and jumping men, Mike Barsalow of Fair Haven, an outstanding broad jumper who recently set an 18' 8" school record, and Art DeLorenzo of Burlington.

Track is not on a full scale major sport at Castleton as of yet. Mr. Terry, Director of Athletics and Track Coach is just starting to devote his full time to the sport. In past years, before hiring of Peter Broaca as assistant and head baseball coach, Mr. Terry took on both track and baseball with the track squad coming out on the short end of his time. Another reason hindering the track squad is the fact that here at Castleton there is no track. This would greatly improve the track situation and help develop the sport to a greater extent.

SPARTAN SURGE IN 9th EDGES PLATTSBURGH

Castleton Teachers College got off to a winning start in the baseball season Thursday, scoring two runs in the last of the ninth inning to trip Plattsburgh (N.Y.) Teachers College, 7-6. The game was played at West Rutland's Hinchey Field.

Leading the way in the opener for the Spartans were Bill Wood, Stan Pietryka, John Notte and Bob Ward, who each collected two hits. Castleton belted a dozen safeties. John Barth and Don Orvis, who came on in the sixth and took the victory, gave up only six hits between them.

Castleton jumped out to a 5-0 lead after two innings, but Plattsburgh tied it up in the sixth. The losers led 6-5 going into the bottom of the ninth.

In the CTC ninth, Pietryka singled, Joe Bioty drilled a pinch single, followed by a run-scoring safety by Ward to tie up the fray, Charlie Memo was walked intentionally and Jim Shaw, a transfer student from Plattsburgh did his former mates dirt, lining a single to drive in the winning run.

Plattsburgh 000 104 001—6 6 4
Castleton 410 000 002—7 12 1

Douglas, Bedell (4), Jock (7) and Lashway; Barth, Orvis (6) and Nichols. WP—Orvis. LP—Jock.

BARTH HURLER IN SPARTAN'S OPENING TILT

John Barth of Windsor was nominated by Coach Pete Broaca as Castleton's starting pitcher when the Spartans launched their '61 baseball season Wednesday afternoon.

Barth, junior, a right hander, saw meager service as a chucker last year and had a 0-0 record but apparently is expected to step into starting rotation this season.

The opponent is Plattsburgh Teachers College and the game will be played on the Fair Haven High School field at 3 p.m. Miserable weather has rendered the Castleton field non-playable for a few more days at least.

Broaca, the young Boston University graduate who is taking over the reins for the first time, also announced Tuesday that Stan Pietryka of West Rutland has been elected captain. Pietryka is a three-letter athlete who also plays basketball and soccer. He is a dean's list student but more important to the baseball team is his .342 batting average last year.

The Spartans move into New England Conference combat Saturday when they meet North Adams (Mass.) in a road battle.

Barth's Single

Tops Oneonta

For Castleton

John Barth's single in the last of the ninth Saturday drove in Castleton's winning run in a 5-4 verdict over Oneonta College in a clash on Hinchey Field.

Barth relieved starter Frank Zakrzewski in the fifth inning and won his own game with a blooper into centerfield to cap a two-run rally. Earlier Bill Wood drove Bob Ward home with a fielder's choice grounder. Ward opened the ninth with a single and moved to third on a bunt and a ground ball.

Wood scored on Barth's hit after going to third base on a double by catcher Jim Burgess.

Zakrzewski hurled hitless ball for four frames then was tagged for three hits and issued two walks while Oneonta was scoring three runs. Barth came in with two out and the bases loaded and retired the side on an infield fly.

The victory was Castleton's fifth in seven outings.



Lyndon Stops

Castleton In

League Clash

Butch Murray survived several mild Castleton uprisings Friday afternoon to post a 10-7 victory for Lyndon in a New England State College Conference game.

Castleton starter Jim Shaw got only two outs in the first inning before being relieved by Don Orvis. Shaw took the loss.

Murray clamped the lid on a Castleton bid in the ninth. With the bases loaded he struck out Ray Libuda and got Jack Witalec on a ground ball.

It was the first time this season Witalec had failed to get a hit.



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PRESIDENT'S ASSEMBLY

The traditional Presidents Assembly will be held June 2, in Woodruff Auditorium. At this time speeches will be given by President Dundas, Dean Black and this year's Student Association President, George Bergin. Various awards will be given, including the Good Citizenship Awards to the man and woman who have best displayed qualities of scholarship, leadership, service and cooperation during the present year. Omicron Sigma (the senior honor society) and Alpha Lambda (the Sophomore-Junior honor society) awards will be given, as well as the Spartan awards. The induction of new officers presided over by the recently-elected Student Council Judge, Dick Hayden, for incoming Senate members will conclude the program.



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE 1961-1962 SCHOOL YEAR

Men's Athletic Association

President, Sam Carrara
Vice President, Bob Ward
Secretary, Jim Burgess
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President, Maureen McCormack
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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Commencement exercises for the Class of 1961 will take place on June 4 at 3:00 p.m. The seniors will be feted with a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. in the dining-hall of Leavenworth Hall. Seniors, their family and their friends will be present. After the luncheon the 70 students of the class of 1961 will assemble for their graduation in front of Ellis Hall. From there they will march to the Auditorium.

Castleton is very fortunate to have Dr. Matthew P. Gaffney as guest speaker for the exercises. Dr. Gaffney was formerly superintendent-principal of the New Trier High School in Winnetka, Illinois and Professor of Education at Harvard University. Dr. Gaffney is a senior associate with Conant's study of American High Schools. During a year of study and travel throughout the United States, gathering information for Dr. James B. Conant's report on the junior high school, he observed programs of physical education in all parts of the country. It is a great honor for the class of 1961 to have Dr. Gaffney speak at their Graduation.

The Castleton Glee Club will also be present:

"But the Lord is Mindful of His Own" by Mendelssohn
"Come Let Us All A-Maying Go" by Handel
"They Call the Wind Maria" by Lerner-Loewe

Janet Walker will be the organist during the exercises.

After commencement, a reception will be held outside of the Auditorium. In case of rain, it will be held inside.



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

MORAL REARMAMENT

Jane Jensen and Mary Louise Bruehl

As the school year draws to a close, the time for the turning in of term papers, et al, has arrived with all its trials and tribulations. The problems involved have been increased this year, as students, either lazy or incompetent, have turned to thievery in order to maintain, or, as is more common, to improve their status.

There has been a veritable rash of disappearing term papers, Physical Science notes and Units during the last month. The question of cheating on examinations has already been editorialized by this paper, but the editors think the question of honesty deserves as much space as is necessary to emphasize the importance of the principle involved.

Castleton Teachers College is an institution dedicated to the preparation of men and women who will soon be concerned with the education of the future citizens of the world. It is impossible to comprehend the reconciliation between deed and supposed ideals. How can an individual who has by his attendance at a teacher's college, expressed an interest in the field of education, be capable of the actual theft of the written work of a fellow student? By what right does any "student" believe that such actions qualify him to continue in his present status as a teacher trainee?

It is the privilege and duty of a teacher to be a worthwhile example to his students, school and community. Surely, a person who would lower himself to the actions of a common sneak thief is not worthy of this trust.

It is imperative that either the Student Court or the Faculty Disciplinary Committee impose more adequate pressure upon the student population in regard to this issue. In the past, many such situations have been ignored by both groups to the detriment of the moral strength of the college community. It has now reached a point where the immorality involved is measured by the danger of detection. This attitude must be altered soon, or Castleton Teachers College will be releasing students into the field of education whose moral values are strangely inconsistent with the expressed ideals of the profession.

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SENIOR JOBS

As the school year draws to a close, the majority of the senior class have secured teaching positions for the 1961-1962 school year. Their positions are as follows:

Grace Baker, Grds. 5, 6, 7, 8, Sudbury
Evelyn Berge, Grade 6, Middlebury
Joan Cornell, Grds. 1, 2, Wilmington
Janet Disorda, Grds. 5, 6, Mt. Holly
Jon Emerson, Grade 5, Bennington
Nan Fowler, Grade 2, Manchester
Rose Giroux, Grade 4, Springfield
Donna Harvey, Grade 1, So. Burlington

Nancy Herzog, Grds. 5, 6, Shoreham
Jean Irons, Grade 1, So. Burlington
Jane Jennings, Grade 2, Dorset
Lester Johnson, Jr. High, Shoreham
Harold Kelley, Grade 7, Middlebury
Wayne King, Grds. 5, 6, 7, 8, So. Londonderry

Theresa Lanthier, Grade 5, Rutland
Shirley LaPlaca, Grade 6, Poultney
Jeanne Longley, Grade 2, So. Burlington

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Lorna Smith, Grade 1, Middlebury
Stephen Squeglia, Grds. 5, 6, 7, 8, Hydeville

Dorwin Stoddert, Grds. 5, 6, 7, 8, Shelburne

Maureen Sullivan, Grade 6, Bennington

Mary Taylor, Grade 3, Londonderry
Andra Vitenbergs, Grade 5, Dorset
Eugene Wasik, Grade 6, Proctor
James Yatsik, Grade 6, Proctor
Ronald Hasseltine, Grds. 5, 6, 7, Ferrisburg,

Janet Gaertner, Grds. 5, 6, 7, 8, Ferrisburg

COMMENCEMENT

Roberta Less

A cloud of white.

Bouquets of red.

Clapping hands.

Silent thought.

"Pomp and Circumstance."

Commencement:

The Beginning

Of the end

Of something

Well spent.

SPORTS BANQUET

The annual Sports Banquet was held May 30 at the dining room. Principal speaker was John Mahoney—Principal of Middlebury High School. Mr. Mahoney graduated from Middlebury College where he participated in three sports and was Varsity basketball captain. He has held various coaching jobs and is presently a college basketball official as well as holding his administrative post at Middlebury High School.

Faculty and guests were present to see the awards presented to the letter winners.

SOCCER

Carrara (white letter), co-captains Nichols and Pietryka, Barth, Blastos, Bontress, Bartlett, Balomo, Elbig-hauser, Fergosi, Hastings, Messina, Orvis, Sabo, Skitt, Witlac and Goodell. Emblems: Hayden and Douglas.

BASKETBALL

Zakrewski (white letter), co-captains Yarter and Zakrewski, Orvis, Pietryka, Labuda, Memo, Shaw, Saunders, Barth, Barsalow and Manager Olson.

Emblems: Wood, Perrotte, Woodruff, Dodge, Fish, and Meuser.

BASEBALL

Ward (white letter), Captain Pietryka, Barth, Orvis, Zakrewski, Wood, Memo, Labuda, Witlac, Notte, Shaw, Burgess, Nichols, Messina.

BACCALAUREATE

SERVICE

On Sunday evening, May 28 at 8:00 p.m. the class of Nineteen Hundred Sixty-one participated in the annual Baccalaureate Service. The service was held in Woodruff Auditorium, attended by faculty, parents, relatives, and friends of the graduating class.

The seventy members of the class, clad in academic attire, marched in to "Pomp and Circumstance" played by Janet Walker.

The Invocation and Benediction were given by Reverend Olof C. Johnson of the Federated Church in Castleton.

The address to the class was given by Rev. Thomas Connor of Saint John's Church also in Castleton. Father Connor's topic for the service was "Rebels with a Cause."

Following the Baccalaureate Service, at 9:30 p.m. the class held its annual Candle Lighting Ceremony.









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SPARKLERS

by Jeanne Longley

"June is here" . . . thus another Graduating class from C.T.C. will leave the campus and each Senior will walk his separate way and achieve his goal. Before the Seniors walk into "that classroom of their very own," they will endure the summer months. Many various resorts, vacationlands, and camps will be occupied by the Seniors of C.T.C. Listed below are a few Senior comments on their summer plans:

Lorna Smith: "Well, another summer on the beaches of Lake George and looking forward to the Fall and the classroom filled with laughter."

Mike Collins: "I am staying in Castleton until the end of July, then I am moving to Arizona."

Teresa Lanthier: "I will probably be taking it easy. I plan to get in a lot of swimming and sun bathing before I start my job in the fall."

Larry Cook: "I'll be on Cape Cod working as a waiter. I certainly hope there will be warm weather for I want to spend my days off at the Beach."

Joan Cornell: "Well, this summer I'll be tripping down the aisle with my glass slipper, homeward bound to the chicken farm and teaching in the fall."

Steve Squeglia: "This summer I'll be working in my hometown of West Springfield, Mass. That is until August, at which time, I'll spend a pleasant morning in the 'Little Chapel by the Lake' in Bomoseen."

Evie Berge: "I am going to be working at *Camp Robinson Crusoe* in Sturbridge, Mass. this summer. It really sounds like fun."

James Yatsik: "This summer I will be working on a 'construction' job getting a good tan. I hope to get married, if I can find time."

Jeanne Longley: "This summer will be one of excitement, relaxation, and pleasure for me—I plan to spend a week in Buffalo, N.Y. and then am going to Sarasota, Florida until the middle of August. I am truly looking forward to my 'second graders' after such a wonderful summer vacation."

Jon Emerson: "Unfortunately I am unable to spend a restful summer, much to my disapproval. This summer will make me a three year veteran at *Skybird Camp*, in Brandon, Vermont, which is a very profitable environment for my family and me."

COMMENCEMENT

BALL

On the evening of May twentieth about one-hundred and fifty happy couples danced to the music of Hal Gregg and his Combo.

The annual Commencement Ball was held at the gymnasium this year.

The faculty, students and friends who attended the dance were greeted by colored lights, potted palms and streamers.

At ten o'clock a delicious banquet was served to the party goers. Many different types of salads and cold meats were served. Congratulations go to Mr. Romonia, the caterer for the evening.

Congratulations are also in order for the class of '62 and chairman Dick Burke, assisted by Sam Pagano and Gary Payne, for making the Commencement Ball such a huge success.

PARTING

Roberta Less

Sighs

Long, last looks

Sad hearts feigning braveness,
then—

Good-bye.

HAWAIIAN HOLIDAY

The Juniors and Freshmen recently sponsored a weekend consisting of a variety show, a dinner and a dance.

On Friday night, May 13, 1961, the two classes combined to put on a variety show. At this time some new talent was discovered in Cindy Smith as Eloise, the outstanding Blacksmith Blues of Ellis Hall and the Leavenworth Four to mention a few.

Saturday, May 14, proved to be a very interesting and eventful day as C.T.C. played Oneonta at West Rutland in the afternoon, after which everyone gathered at the Grange Hall in Castleton Corners for an unusual Hawaiian Feast catered by Tom Smith. The dinner was followed by a dance, at Woodruff auditorium, with the Club Men from Rutland providing the music.

Due to student teaching and the "end-of-the-year" rush this whole weekend was planned and executed mainly by the two class presidents, Dick Burke and Sam Pagano. Everyone who attended pronounced it, a very enjoyable weekend.

BASEBALL

Under the fine leadership of Mr. Peter Broaca, the Castleton Teachers College Baseball nine now has a 6 and 5 record with three games left. The remaining games are: one with Lyndon, May 26 and a double header on Saturday with Plattsburg. Every team which has beaten Castleton has also been beaten by the Spartans.

Castleton got a good jump on the season winning its first four games by scores of 7 to 6 over Plattsburg, 7 to 2, and 8 to 6 over North Adams State Teachers, while the fourth win was at the hands of Johnson 6 to 4. Leading Castleton hitters were Skip Pietryka, Bob Ward and Erwin Nichols. It is also interesting to note that each pitcher on the team won one of those games, Zakrewski, Barth, Shaw and Orvis.

Out of the next three games we dropped two of them while winning one. The win was over Oneonta, a New York State team, and the two losses were suffered at the hands of Windham and Lyndon. By now Bob Ward has been hitting quite steadily along with Pietryka, and Barth has become one of the more reliable pitchers. The score of these three games was 7 to 3 in favor of Windham, 10 to 7 in favor of Lyndon and 5 to 4 Castleton over Oneonta.

Out of their last four Castleton has dropped three, one to Fitchburg, 3 to 1, Johnson 15 to 5, then beating Windham 2 to 0 to snap their six game winning streak behind the four hit pitching of Fran Zakrewski. Then we dropped the Gorham game in 14 innings 6 to 5.

John Barth has been the best pitcher on Broaca's staff while Pete Messina is the leading defensive player. The leading batter is Bobby Ward.

Plattsburg	0 0 0 1 0 4 0 0 1—6
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Castleton	4 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—7
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Castleton	3 1 0 1 0 0 0 2 0—7
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North Adams	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2
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Johnson	0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
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Castleton	0 1 1 0 1 0 3 0 x—6
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North Adams	0 0 0 2 1 3 0 0 0—6
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Castleton	0 2 2 2 0 2 0 0 x—8
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Castleton	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—3
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Windham	0 0 2 2 0 1 1 1 x—7
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Vt. Student Education

Association Elects

Representatives

Maureen Sullivan and Andra Vitenbergs have been designated by the Vermont Student Education Association as their representatives to the 1961 Student NEA Leadership Conference.

They will attend the Council of State Presidents, June 16th through 23rd and the Sixteenth Annual TEPS Conference, June 20th through 23rd at Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania and The Ninety-ninth Annual Meeting of The National Education Association June 24th through 29th at Atlantic City, New Jersey. While at Atlantic City they will be guests at the Notables Dinner.

The girls were nominated at the Spring Meeting of the Executive Board of the Vermont Student Education Association on May 13th.

Maureen is State President of the VSEA and Andra is Corresponding Secretary.

SENIOR BANQUET

The annual senior banquet will be held this year at the Red Rob Inn, Killington Basin Access Road, Killington, Vermont. The festivities are scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m. on June 1.

A poll was taken to ascertain the preference in regard to menu, and the senior class voted to have turkey for the main course.

Transportation will be provided by the school buses and private cars. Anyone needing transportation should get in touch with Steve Squeglia, class president for further information.

Castleton	0 0 1 2 3 0 0 1 0—7
Lyndon	2 0 1 4 0 3 0 0 x—10

Oneonta	0 0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0—4
Castleton	0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—5

Castleton	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1
Fitchburg	0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 x—3

Castleton	0 3 1 0 0 0 0 1 1—6
Johnson	5 0 0 0 2 0 1 7 x—15

Windham	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Castleton	0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 x—3

Castleton	0010102000001—5
Gorham	0000000130002—6

CTC Junior Receives

Sullivan Scholarship

Barbara Duchane, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Duchane of Wallingford, Vermont, has received word that she has been awarded the 1961 Mary B. Sullivan scholarship. Barbara, a Junior, was notified last week by John Holden, the Commissioner of Education, that she had been chosen the recipient of the \$200.00 scholarship. When interviewed, Barbara said that she was very pleased and surprised that she had received this award.

The Mary B. Sullivan scholarship is presented to one Junior student chosen from all the Colleges of Education in Vermont. The colleges participating are Johnson Teachers College, Lyndon Teachers College,



The University of Vermont College of Education and Castleton Teachers College. Every year one name is sent from each of the Teachers Colleges to the State Board of Education. Each candidate is personally interviewed by John Pascuiti who reports back to the State Board of Education.

The person chosen to receive the award is judged on high scholarship, personality, promise of success as a teacher, and interest in professional activities rather than need. The scholarship may be used for tuition, board, room, books, or any other school expense. The scholarship grant is in memory of the late Mary B. Sullivan, an associate professor of English and Education at the University of Vermont. She was also a former teacher at Castleton Teachers College.

The award will be presented to Barbara at the President's Assembly, Friday, June 2.

CONGRATULATIONS SENIORS

